Weather

Fine and hot weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 82.4 and the minimum 54.3, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 73.4 and 61.1.

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DIPLOMATIC JOKER SEEN IN JAPANESE LOAN PLAN

Foreign Office Loopholes Punched In Consortium Announcement.

LOOKS INNOCENT

Tokio Still Has Way To Put China's Economic Rights in Chancery

BY NATHANIEL PEFFER
(Our Peking Correspondent)

Peking, May 15.—It behooves one to be wary of one's cheers over Japan's adhesion to the Consortium and the seeming victory of the Western Powers. On the one hand Japan announces to Mr. Lamont and lets Mr. Lamont announce to the world that it has joined the Consortium without any reservations, thus consenting to stand on an equal basis with other Powers in China. On the other hand the Foreign Office makes a statement punching the announcement full of loopholes.

It says:

"As regards the scope of the Consortium it is agreed that it will make loans to China but only such as are made direct to the Chinese Government or are guaranteed by the Chinese Government and raised by public issue—these being exclusively reserved to the Consortium. Consequently loans to Chinese capitalists or corporations will be left outside the Consortium's scope."

That is to say, if Little Hsu, for instance, organises a corporation for the development, so-called, of Outer Mongolia, Japan can lend as many millions as it likes. There will still be place for Baron Okura's millions—if the financial stringency doesn't take them all. The worst of the loans since the 1918 debauch have been made to so-called private corporations, not the government.

ANCIENT DIPLOMACY OF JAPANESE SEEN

The corporations are organised for the financing of sundry military gentlemen, compensation to Japan being control over certain resources—call it a bank or a development company or a shipping company or anything you please. And the worst loans China has to fear most in the future are not government loans, on which there is always a certain light of publicity, but ostensibly private loans which put China's economic rights in chancery. And the way for these is left open just as wide as before. It all looks suspiciously like Japan's traditional diplomacy the discreet use of the diplomatic joker.

It is to be taken for granted that neither the Consortium nor any other financing body can put a tight monopoly on foreign financing in China. That would not be practicable if it were desirable. Scope must be left for private enterprise. As with all other political arrangements it is not so much the machinery as the spirit behind the arrangement that counts. Japan's reservation is innocent enough and sensible enough, provided there can be trust in Japanese bona fides in the use of the reservation.

MAY HAVE SELECTED ANOTHER EVASION PLAN

What basis is there for such trust? Considering the circumstances behind the negotiations of the last two years, is there any?

Since the Summer of 1918 the Japanese government has obstructed the formation of the Consortium. First it withheld the proposition from its bankers for months, giving no chance for action. Then it demanded the exemption of its spheres in South Manchuria and Eastern Inner Mongolia. Then its bankers agreed, in negotiation with Mr. Lamont, to come in without territorial exemption if the government's approval could be secured. Now the government approves, with reservations. Is there not ground for skepticism, for the belief that Japan has chosen merely another means of evasion? Since obstruction of the Consortium has been its aim throughout, is there not ground for the belief that pinned down publicly by Mr. Lamont's visit it has had to accede but has given itself loopholes big enough to accomplish the purpose which has guided it throughout?

It is worth studying the Foreign Office's statement carefully and watching even more carefully its application.

U. S. Delegate To Suffrage Convention

Mrs. Josephus Daniels.

For the first time in its history the International Woman Suffrage Alliance, which is to hold its eighth congress in Geneva, Switzerland, June 6 to 12, will be attended by an official representative of the United States Government. President Wilson has appointed Mrs. Josephus Daniels, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, to represent the United States in an official capacity. At former meetings of the alliance only countries wherein women have full suffrage have had official representatives. The fact that the United States is to have its official representative indicates the depth of conviction among suffragists that the United States will be in the full suffrage list next June.

First Unit Of Destroyers, Newly Attached To Asiatic Fleet, Arrives In Shanghai

Seven, Headed By The U.S.S. Rizal, Reach Here On Way To Gunnery Practice At Chefoo, After Crossing The Pacific

The first of a potential great fleet of destroyers to be attached to the Asiatic Fleet arrived in Shanghai yesterday morning at 7 o'clock.

Headed by the U.S.S. Rizal, flotilla flagship, the seven destroyers comprising the Asiatic Destroyer Flotilla arrived off Woosung Monday evening and anchored, proceeding to Shanghai yesterday morning, after passing quarantine.

The destroyers are enroute to Chefoo and will leave here at noon today for that port to join the main portion of the Asiatic Fleet and hold gunnery exercises during the summer.

The Asiatic Destroyer Flotilla, comprising eight destroyers of the latest type, sailed from San Diego and San Francisco on March 25, proceeding to Honolulu in company with 24 other destroyers for the Hawaiian Missions Centennial. Arriving there on April 1, they remained 14 days, sailing for Manila via Midway Islands and Guam.

FIRST ACROSS PACIFIC

At Midway Islands the destroyers oiled from the tanker Cuyama, sent there for that purpose and then proceeded to Guam arriving there on April 25, leaving for Manila on April 28.

After a two days stay in Balayan Bay, Luzon, P.I., the destroyers proceeded to Manila arriving on May 3, the first destroyers to cross the Pacific Ocean.

Immediately upon arrival orders were received from the Commander-in-Chief, Asiatic Fleet, to join the fleet at Chefoo as soon as practicable. Necessary repairs were made and the destroyer flotilla sailed from Cavite on May 14.

Eight destroyers comprise the first contingent, but others have been ordered for duty with the Asiatic Fleet and are enroute to Manila, via Suez. At present they are performing duty with the Naval Forces operating in European waters, but upon completion of this duty will proceed to Manila.

ONLY ONE UNDER REPAIR

Of the eight destroyers to cross the Pacific, trouble was experienced with but one, the U.S.S. Hart (110). Due to boiler trouble, she had to be towed by the tug Bittern for several days between Midway Islands and Guam, but was able to proceed to Cavite under her own power. She is at present undergoing repairs at the Naval Station, Olongapo, P.I., and will join the fleet at Chefoo upon completion of these repairs.

The names of the destroyers, most of which worked out of Queenstown and Brest for a considerable period during the war, are the Rizal (174), Greer (145), Elliott (146), Tarbell (142), Yarnall (143), Upshur (144), Lea (118), and Hart (110).

Commander E. S. Root, U. S. Navy, is flotilla commander, commanding the Rizal. Commander Root was for four years in command of the destroyer Bainbridge, leaving the Station in 1912.

FLAGSHIP WAS GIFT

The Rizal, flagship, is the destroyer presented to the United States government by the Philippines and is manned almost entirely by Filipinos. The present complement includes 27 Americans and 97 Filipinos.

Since being commissioned at the Navy Yard, Mare Island, California, on May 28, 1919, the Rizal has made a name for her-

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Units Of Fleet Visiting Shanghai

Rizal (174)—Commander E. S. Root, 6 other officers and 128 men.

Greer (145)—Commander E. R. Shipp, 7 other officers and 121 men.

Lea (118)—Commander G. W. Kenyon, 5 other officers and 100 men.

Yarnall (143)—Commander L. Stewart, 6 other officers and 104 men.

Tarbell (142)—Commander G. B. Hoey, 6 other officers and 103 men.

Elliott (146)—Lieut.-Commander E. L. Gunther, 5 other officers and 106 men.

Upshur (144)—Lieut.-Commander E. H. Strother, 5 other officers and 103 men.

Hart (110)—Lieut.-Commander T. M. Deem.

RUSSIANS ARE AROUSED BY AGGRESSIONS OF JAPANESE

No Longer Disunited But Unanimously Opposed To Their Presence

INTENSE HATRED

League Will Not Interfere With Poles' Offensive On Bolsheviki

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, May 18.—Reuter learns from a reliable source that the situation in Vladivostok may be summed up as follows:

"Japanese aggressiveness has roused the most intense hatred on the part of the Russians, who are no longer disunited but unanimous in opposition to Japan. Even officials under the former regime are showing themselves ready to join the Bolsheviks against the Japanese.

"It is the Japanese militarists in Vladivostok and Siberia, not the War Office at Tokio, who appear to be responsible for such aggression which, it is believed, will continue while the Allies remain acquiescent. It is further believed, however, that the Japanese will quickly evacuate Siberia if the Allies raise a formal protest.

MOSCOW WILL AGREE TO A BUFFER STATE

"The Moscow Government will doubtless consent to the formation of a buffer State as a temporary arrangement because it realises that the complexities of the Far Eastern situation are likely to cause trouble, which will retard foreign recognition of the Soviet Government, but there is no doubt that any Governments formed in Siberia will repudiate Soviet authority."

Vladivostok, May 18.—The Japanese and Russian Armistice Committee is nearing Habarovsk and is successfully liquidating the differences between the Partisans and the Japanese on its way. The former are eager to fulfill the agreement and are retreating 30 kilometers from the Railway and are avoiding further fighting.

The railway between Vladivostok and Iman has been re-established, the part of the line between Iman and Harbarovsk which was seriously damaged by the Partisans some time ago, having been repaired.

Chinese Customs have been established at Pogranitchnaya and passengers, passing through, now require passports.

COSSACK DELEGATES JAPAN'S SUPPORTERS

A fourth Cossack gathering took place at Chita at the end of April. Fifty-four out of the 160 delegates, called to the conference, arrived. It is claimed that all these were supporters of General Semenoff and the Japanese.

Russians leaving the port of Possiet now require a Japanese military permit.

The Ussuri Railway is working badly as only six locomotives are available, the Japanese having retained seventeen.

London, May 16.—The unexplained silence from Moscow has been broken by an intercepted wireless message, requesting stations to resume listening in at the usual hours.

London, May 16.—The Sunday Express publishes a telegram from Moscow, dated May 12, received via Murmansk, which reports that martial law has been proclaimed in Central Russia and that the death penalty has been reinstituted.

London, May 15.—The Poles are continuing their advance to the South and it is expected that they will soon reach Odessa. The Bolsheviks to the west of the Dnieper are in full retreat.

BRUSSILOFF SEEKING OVERTHROW OF SOVIET

London, May 15.—Yesterday evening three unimportant wireless messages were received from Russia but none from Moscow. Meanwhile it is rumored in French Socialist circles that the silence is due to political trouble. Moreover it is declared that General Brussiloff is endeavoring to overthrow the Soviet.

Helsingfors, May 15.—The Finnish Foreign Minister, M. Holsti, has sent a wireless message to Tchitcherin, stating that Finland is willing in spite of the armistice hitch to begin peace negotiations.

London, May 15.—The League of Nations Union publishes correspondence which has passed between Lord Robert Cecil and Earl Curzon of Kedleston, Secretary of

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Mayors And Bankers Run 'Indignation Special'

In charge of prominent men four trains on the Erie Railroad made regular trips between the Erie terminal and points in New Jersey during the recent transportation tieup in New York. In this way hundreds of commuters who otherwise would have been stranded were enabled to reach their offices and homes. The photograph shows the crew of one of the "Indignation Specials." David J. McKenna, Mayor of Englewood, N. J., is the second man from the right; next to the Mayor is Joseph Andrews, Sr., vice-president of the Bank of New York, and his son, Joseph, Jr. The men acted as firemen, brakemen and conductors during the trips.

MARTIAL LAW TO QUIET IRELAND IS BRITISH PLAN

Cordon Of Troops May Isolate Rebellious Areas Under Proposed Policy

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 16.—It is reported that martial law will be proclaimed in Ireland very shortly and that a drastic plan of campaign is materialising. Reinforcements are being rushed over.

Lord French had an audience with His Majesty yesterday morning.

London, May 16.—The Observer, reviewing the state of anarchy in Ireland, declares that the position of the Southern Loyalists has become unbearable. Women and children are arriving in England like Russian refugees.

OUTRAGES EXTENDED

The extremists, moreover, have now extended their outrages into Ulster. It is becoming hard to restrain the Covenanters and, if Sinn Feinism goes a step further there, the Covenanters will crush it at all costs. Meanwhile the general opinion is that the Ministers are considering the alternatives of intensive military activities and a maritime, economic policy whereby a cordon would be drawn across Ireland, cutting off the disaffected interior and removing from that area every loyalist, after which the area would be utterly ignored until it came to its senses. There would be no police, no troops, no trade, no education, no distribution of revenue, no railways and a complete administrative boycott while the loyalists would be ensured against losses until they could be returned.

BONOMI REQUESTED TO ORGANISE NEW ITALIAN CABINET

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 15.—The Milan correspondent of the Times states that Signor Bonomi, former Minister for war, has been requested to form a Cabinet.

Carranza And Small Picked Force Escape Rebels In Guerrero

(Reuter's Service)

Vera Cruz, May 15.—General Carranza with a picked force of 1,000 men has escaped to the mountains after destroying his train and war material. The remaining Federal troops are still stubbornly fighting the revolutionists.

London, May 15.—The possibility of conflict in Mexico between the Obregon and Gonzales factions is anticipated.

Direct Negotiations With Japan Declined By Peking Cabinet

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, May 18.—At a Cabinet meeting held this afternoon it was decided to decline to enter into direct negotiations with Japan with regard to Shantung in reply to Mr. Obata's request.

British Employers Urged To Support New Citizen Army

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 15.—The King received at Buckingham Palace today the Lord Lieutenants of counties and the Lord-Mayors and Provosts of Great Britain, whom he addressed on the subject of the reconstruction of the territorial army. His Majesty said that the territorial army would be reconstituted in order that it might become the foundation of the army system. Every possible step would be taken to speed the work and His Majesty invited those present to enlist the sympathy of employers in the formation of the "indispensable volunteer, citizen army."

ALLIES ASK FOR EARLY TRIAL OF WAR CRIMINALS

Germany Warned It Must Guarantee Protection Of Entente Witnesses

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 17.—In the House of Commons today at question time, Mr. Bonar Law stated that the Allies on May 7, had forwarded to the German Government the first instalment containing forty-five names of the list of war criminals compiled by the Inter-Allied Commission, on which the Lord Chancellor represented Great Britain. The Allies had at the same time requested that the trial of these prisoners by the Leipzig court should begin without delay. They had also pointed out that the German Government must adequately guarantee the protection of any Allied witnesses and allow Allied representatives to be present at all sittings of the court.

Mr. Bonar Law recalled the fact that the Allies reserved all rights under articles 228 and 229 of the Treaty of Versailles, if the procedure of the Leipzig court was not satisfactory.

Replying to Capt. Wedgwood Benn, Mr. Bonar Law stated that the Council of the League of Nations at present sitting at Rome would discuss the question of sending a mission of inquiry to Soviet Russia.

Prince of Wales Is Thrown From Horse But Escapes Injury

(Reuter's Service)

Christchurch, N. Z., May 15.—The Prince of Wales today attended the races at Riccarton. After the races His Royal Highness rode the course, taking the jumps. His horse balked at a fence, throwing the Prince, who was luckily not injured.

French Rail Strike Goes On Sluggishly

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, May 15.—The strike is continuing sluggishly. The response to the General Confederation of Labor's orders is feeble.

FIVE PASSENGER SHIPS ARE GIVEN TO ADMIRAL LINE

Allocations Made By Shipping Board—Service To Orient Starts In October

Definite word about the allocation by the United States Shipping Board of passenger liners to the Orient which Shanghai's shipping world long has been awaiting arrived last night in the form of a cable message to the Shanghai Agency of The Admiral Line. Five of the new big passenger boats of the shipping board have been turned over to The Admiral Line.

The message that was received released the important announcement that a new line of big passenger ships will be placed in operation out of Puget Sound and the time when this service will begin is definitely fixed. The first vessel of the new service will sail out of Seattle for the Far East in October and thereafter the service will consist of sailings at least every fifteen days with the probability that this interval may be shortened. This announcement was made by Mr. C. F. Gorman of the Admiral Line office here who received the message.

WERE TROOP CARRIERS

The new passenger liners originally were designed to transport troops and after the Armistice halted work on them the decision was made to modify them in such a manner as to convert them into modern passenger liners. Some time ago the announcement was issued by the shipping board that in all 19 of these vessels, 12 of them 535 feet in length and the others slightly smaller, would soon be completed in the shipyards on the Atlantic coast where work on them was being done. The announcement was to the effect that the 12 larger boats would be placed in service on the Pacific Ocean and from time to time since then reports of the efforts of various steamship companies to obtain these vessels have been given publication.

The news that definite action in the matter of the allocation of passenger ships has begun gives rise to the inference that announcements of other allocations soon may be looked for from other steamship lines.

MODERN LINERS

The vessels that are to inaugurate the passenger service into the Orient of the Admiral line all are 14,000-ton boats modern in every detail of construction. They are 535 feet in length with a sea speed of seventeen and a half knots and with accommodations for 250 first class passengers and big steerage accommodations.

NO. 12.

Mr. John J. Gorman, General Agent of the Admiral Line in the Orient, accompanied by Captain R. B. Brennan, Marine Superintendent in the Orient, who have been to Singapore to open an agency of the line, are now on their way back to Shanghai and will arrive on the steamer Venezuela, due to arrive here Friday. Mr. George J. McCarthy, Passenger Agent for the line, who has been making preparations for the new passenger service in Manila and Hongkong, will also return to Shanghai on the Venezuela.

RESOLUTION TO END WAR IS ADOPTED BY SENATE

Knox Plan Is Substituted For That Recently Passed By House

VOTE IS 43 TO 35

Conference At Hythe Would Speedily Settle War Damage Issue

AGREES ON PLAN

France Gives Up Priority Of Reparation And Gets Concessions

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, May 16.—The Senate has adopted by 43 votes to 35 the resolution ending the state of war with Germany and Austria. The Senate substituted the Knox resolution for the resolution recently passed by the House of Representatives. The measure now goes to the conference of both Houses.

London, May 16.—The Hythe conference sat the whole morning, Mr. Bonar Law being present, and concluded early this afternoon when M. Millerand and the French mission departed for Paris. An official statement issued subsequently says: "The British and French Governments recognise that on the one hand it is to the general interest that reparation for losses and damage due to the war should be secured as soon as possible and with this object that the necessary resources should be made effectively available without delay, and on the other hand that it is desirable that Germany be put in a position to regain her financial autonomy by speedy fulfilment of her obligations.

NATIONS WOULD SOLVE ECONOMIC DIFFICULTIES

"The two governments were therefore of opinion that in order to solve the economic difficulties which are gravely weighing upon the world and to mark the definite beginning of the era of peace it is important to reach a settlement which will embrace the whole body of international liabilities which have been left as a legacy of the war and which will at the same time ensure parallel liquidation of inter-Allied war debt and reparation of the debts of the Central Empires.

"Accordingly experts from each of the two countries will be charged, first, to prepare immediately for examination by their two governments proposals for fixing a minimum total for the German debt which would be capable of acceptance by the Allies and at the same time compatible with Germany's capacity to pay; second, to determine the method of payment and capitalisation of Germany's debt which would be best calculated to assure the realisation of the general views expressed above, third, to establish conditions for division between the Allies of the payment by Germany in accordance with the agreements which certain of the Allies have already reached and which remain to be definitely settled in the case of the other Allies."

Reuters special correspondent at the Hythe conference, elucidating the above communique, states that if for example Germany has to make payments extending over a certain number of years, Allied debtors would pay Allied creditors at the same periods.

FRANCE RELINQUISHES REPARATIONS PRIORITY

With reference to the clause with regard to the Allied division of Germany's payments, it is pointed out that an agreement on the subject already exists under which 55 percent goes to the French and 25 percent to the British, but Belgium has a fixed priority charge.

The French advanced proposals involving priority of reparation, but an alternative solution was outlined, and an agreement reached which the Premiers regarded as a fair and reasonable settlement of this tangled problem. France gets very valuable benefits at British expense but Great Britain is making concessions which she regards right and just to France.

London, May 17.—With regard to the reparations decision of the Hythe Conference it is explained that the payment of Allied in-

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KNOX RESOLUTION IS ADOPTED BY AMERICAN SENATE

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debtedness will proceed pari passu with Germany's payments. Thus if Germany does not pay for two years, payment by Allied debtors to Allied creditors will be similarly postponed.

SPA CONFERENCE IS POSTPONED UNTIL JUNE

London, May 15.—Mr. Lloyd George and M. Millerand met at Hythe today.

The actual conferences between the two Premiers are taking place at Sir Philip Sassoon's villa at Lympne (4 miles from Hythe) but the respective staffs are housed at Hythe. An official statement issued at the close of the day's conference says:

"Mr. Lloyd George and M. Millerand today agreed: (1) on the postponement of the Spa conference till after the German general elections, the date June 21, being provisionally suggested, and (2) that the Versailles treaty should be maintained in full force, particularly the disarmament clauses, the enforcement of which should not be postponed until after the Spa meeting. In other words the question of disarmament will not be discussed at Spa."

FRENCH EVACUATION OF RUHR ORDERED

Mayence, May 16.—Marshal Foch has ordered the evacuation of the Main territories to begin tomorrow.

London, May 15.—The Times Paris correspondent telegraphs:

"General Nollet announces that the German effectives in the Ruhr district have been reduced to within the prescribed limits and Marshal Foch has therefore issued instructions for the evacuation of the occupied area of Germany."

Berlin, May 15.—According to the Frankfurter Zeitung the Imperial Cabinet and the Premiers and Ministers of the various States have unanimously agreed that the Government shall not send representatives to Spa or to Paris on May 16 for economic discussions unless the French are withdrawn from the Frankfort and Main region, for the continued occupation of which, they state, there is now no reason.

Shipping Position At Port Of London

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 15.—The Port of London states that the position of shipping at the London docks on May 12 was: 74 vessels discharging, 21 loading, 46 lying up for repairs or bunkering, 2 waiting in dock to discharge or load, one waiting in the river to dock. The total tonnage amounted to 441,526 tons.

Jellicoe And French Given Swords Of Honor By London

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 17.—There was a crowded gathering at the Guildhall today when Admiral Viscount Jellicoe and Field Marshal Viscount French were awarded the freedom of the city and presented with swords of honor.

Many distinguished persons were present, including the Duke of Connaught, the Archbishop of Canterbury, and members of the Cabinet and of the fighting services, including Field Marshal Earl Haig. Viscount Jellicoe and Viscount French received a great ovation on entering the hall. The City Chamberlain in his address recalled the "great, sterling events of 1914," which, he said, would ever be associated with their two distinguished guests.

Viscount Jellicoe, responding, said that his task in the early stages of the war had been made easier owing to the very strenuous work of his predecessor, Admiral Sir George Callaghan, in preparing the navy as a fighting force.

Viscount French, replying, said that when he went to France in 1914 he hoped to remain in the field till victory, but fate had decreed otherwise.

Although the first army had perished, Lord French declared, their spirit would remain enshrined in the hearts of their countrymen for ever. The magnificent spirit displayed by millions of Britons in the war had retained for us the foremost place in the world. The great lesson of the war was that indecision and vacillation were always disastrous. Lord French added that he considered that Germany's cardinal mistake was her failure to seize the Channel.

AERO MINISTRY ISSUES BOOK ON ITALIAN FLIGHT

Aeronautical Department Publishes Record On Rome-Tokio Flying

Profusely illustrated, a book describing the Rome-Tokio flight, has just been published by the Department of Aeronautics in Peking and has made its appearance in Shanghai. It has 17 pictures and maps and six sections of reading matter.

In his introduction, General Mouhan K. Tinn, director of the Department, writes in part:

"The publication of this book has three purposes in view: to eradicate national difference in the worship of heroes, to receive all civilising devices to usher our people to the dynamic future and to stimulate the interest of our fellow-countrymen in scientific successes."

The book contains pictures of Gabriele d'Annunzio, the poet-soldier-airman who originally planned the aerial enterprise; Colonels Savoia and Verduzio, inventors of the S. V. A. machine; Director Brezzi of the Ansaldo; Lieut. Ferrarin and Lieut. Masiero, premier fliers in the flight; the Caproni and S. V. A. machines; the words of Ansaldo, reproductions of the circulars distributed by d'Annunzio during his raid on Vienna, urging it to surrender; of the map photographed by Lieut. Ferrarin of the Zeppelin works during the war and maps showing the flight from Europe to Asia and over the various cities in China.

The development and history of Italian aviation, the life history of d'Annunzio, Lieutenants Ferrarin and Masiero, the difficulties and stations along the flight are among the topics treated by the author.

NEW YORK-ALASKA AIR RACE LATEST AVIATION PLAN

American Flying Club Has Stirring 1920 Schedule Of Cloud Sports

(Reuter's Service)

New York, April 15 (by mail).—Air events, planned for 1920, promise to make it a big aviation sport year, according to the American Flying Club. Arrangements are being made by the club for a seaplane race around Long Island.

This will probably be held early in the summer. The club is co-operating with the training and operations group of the United States Army Air Service in planning a trans-continental air race between New York and Alaska, a distance of 4,870 miles.

In the tentative plans the course is mapped out from Mineola across United States territory to Minot, N. D., crossing to Saskatchewan and across the Dominion to Fort Egbert on the Alaska border. In Alaska the route runs to Circle, Fort Yukon and Fairbanks by way of Fort Gibbon and thence to Mulato and Nome. Compulsory stops at an average of each 150 miles will be arranged.

COUNTY CRICKET

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 14.—County Cricket:

M.C.C. beat Notts by 5 wickets.

Lancashire beat Leicester by 129 runs.

Sussex beat Warwick by 133 runs. In Sussex's second innings H. Wilson scored 187.

London, May 15.—Oxford beat Middlesex by 139 runs.

Cockroach Found To Carry Cancer

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 15.—A scientist at Copenhagen has produced cancer in rats by feeding them on the eggs of the cockroach parasite.

Band Concert

The following program will, weather permitting, be played by the band in the Public Garden today, beginning at 5:30 p.m.:

March—All for the Girlies..Gilbert
Overture—Jean de Paris..Boieldieu
Waltz—Nights of Gladness..Ancliffe
Selection—Iolanthe ..... Sullivan
(a) Song—Sleep and Forget..White
(b) In the Shadows ..... Finck
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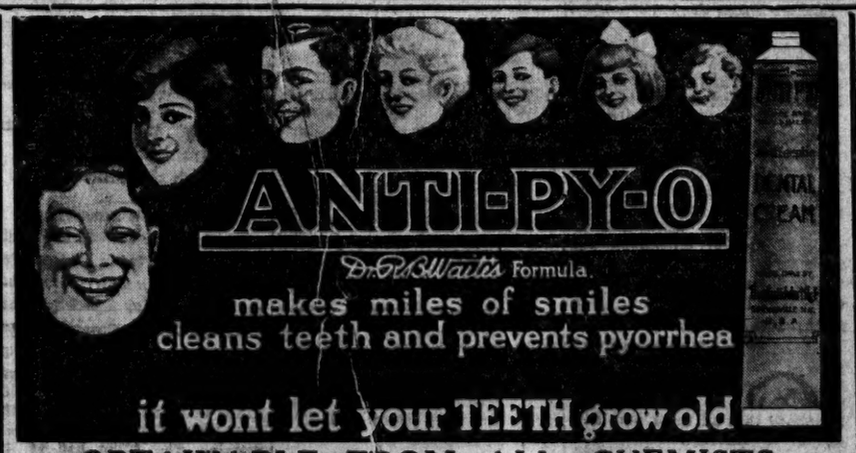

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Zionists In Celebration Of Palestine Restoration

Supreme Council's Decicion At San Remo Cause Of Rejoicing By Members Of Shanghai Association

Rejuvenation of the Jewish Nation, restoration of Zion, seen in the decision of the San Remo session of the Supreme Council to uphold the Balfour Declaration with regard to Palestine, was the motif of a celebration at the Palace Hotel yesterday afternoon by the Zionist Association. Speakers, among whom were some of the most prominent men in Shanghai, outlined their hopes and ideals for the restored nation and expressed their appreciation of the assistance that has been accorded them by the allied powers.

Mr. E. S. Kadoorie, president of the Association, presided and made an address. He was followed by Mr. Edward I. Ezra, Mr. J. E. Salmon, Judge Charles S. Lobingier, Mr. N. E. B. Ezra, Mr. R. D. Abraham, Mr. J. Friend, Prof. Shurimi and Mr. Myers were among the speakers. A message of congratulation from Viscount Uchida, Japan's Minister for Foreign Affairs, was read at the meeting.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS

In his address, President Kadoorie said:

"We have assembled here to celebrate the decision of the Supreme Council at San Remo to restore Palestine to us in accordance with the well-known Declaration made by Mr. Balfour in November, 1917. This decision which is final opens the gates of Palestine to our oppressed people in Eastern Europe. We are convinced of making Palestine in the near future a country worthy of the past and worthy of the future. The call comes to all of us to help in this work of the regeneration of our ancient country and we hope we shall not be found wanting. I will now propose the following resolutions:

"That this meeting of the Shanghai Zionist Association desires to place on record the unbounded joy with which it hails the decision of the Supreme Council at San Remo to incorporate the famous Balfour declaration of November, 1917, in the Peace Treaty with Turkey and to grant the mandate for Palestine to Great Britain.

UNBOUNDED GRATITUDE

"That this meeting expresses its unbounded gratitude to Great Britain and her Allies and recognises in them the noble champions of the rights of small Nations to exist side by side with great Powers, and declares, in the words of a great leader in Israel, that in the restoration of Zion is to be found the symbol of all that for which the Allies fought, and which they won for all time.

"Resolved, that a telegram be sent to Mr. Lloyd George, Prime Minister of Great Britain thanking him for the great services which he has rendered to the Jewish National Movement in establishing conditions to secure for the Jewish people an opportunity to reconstitute Palestine as their National Homeland."

JOY UNPARALLELED

Mr. N. E. B. Ezra said:

"The joy that animates us today finds no parallel in our history. It is a joy that has been shared by all the generations that preceded us ever since the exile began about nineteen centuries ago. The great horn for our freedom has been sounded. Four names are inseparable. These are God, Israel, the Bible and the Holy Land. They form one system, one harmonious whole—a work Divine. To speak of Israel and not to quote the Bible is to lecture about the stars and solar system without reference to astronomy. The Biblical prophecies concerning the restoration are familiar to one and all who are present here today. The key by which God has opened the dungeons of our sufferings is remarkable. Job teaches that there are two crucibles before God. On one the word prosperity is inscribed; on the other adversity. Israel has failed in the former. Israel is now returning purified and victorious from the latter. Great Britain has stood well the first. Please God she will continue to do so forever. What is the present outlook confronting us? There are, undoubtedly, happy signs in the air. We are here today celebrating the re-birth of our nation in every sense of the word. The great Powers of the earth have offered us a helping hand. Isaiah's words vibrate in our ears, "Comfort ye, comfort ye, my people." The pogroms in Russia and elsewhere will soon be forgotten. Civilisation is concentrating into one center—the League of Nations. Men are beginning to realise the sacred unity of humanity as inculcated in the initial chapters of the Bible. The regeneration of our people and our country is now practically assured. With Great Britain as the mandatory Power in Palestine, we may be able to go henceforward from strength to strength.

QUOTES SUN YAT SEN

"Dr. Sun Yat-sen, representing a nation of four hundred millions, has recently expressed his sympathy with the Zionist Movement. In a letter dated April 24 last, he wrote to us as follows:

"'All lovers of Democracy cannot help but support wholeheartedly and welcome with enthusiasm the movement to restore your wonderful and historic nation, which has contributed so much to the civilisation of the world and which rightfully deserves an honorable place in the comity of nations.'

"Ladies and Gentlemen, we are heartened and overwhelmed by the good wishes of our friends and well-wishers alike. Such words stimulate us to increase our activities in all directions. Unfortunately, we still have enemies, both within and without, to contend with. Let us not go away with the idea that we have completed our task and that the worst is over. This meeting does not mean that we are to rest on our laurels. We still have a lot of spade work to perform. Our work has just begun. For two thousand years our right has been denied to us. Might has held the sceptre of iniquity for many, many centuries. Might has buried right and raised massive and gigantic mansions over her grave. Right is slowly but surely, as is usual with her, raising her head. In the course of our journey to the Promised Land there will be some cataclysms but in the end Peace!"

MR. MYER'S SPEECH

"A school teacher should impress upon the youthful minds of his youthful pupils that the word promise is the offspring of honor, and the honor of a gentleman is unassailable, a promise made therefore must be carried out honorably and faithfully, at all risks and responsibilities. Such, ladies and gentlemen, has been Great Britain's character and policy which made her so great amongst the other nations.

"Great Britain in Nov., 1917, declared through one of her able politicians that Palestine would be a Jewish National Home. Has she not now honorably fulfilled the Balfour declaration? Reuter recently flashed out the joyful tidings the restoration of Eretz Israel to Benay Israel which have cheered the heart of every Jew. It is indeed a great triumph and Simha Libnay Israel a day of rejoicing to be observed by the Jews for generations.

"The acceptance of the mandatory power over Palestine by the British Raj, our traditional friend, is a wise step in the right direction, for really we could not have wished for a more efficient mater to watch and guide our steps, nor a greater artist to mould and shape a nation's destiny, more than the Briton.

"The net result of the case, tends to prove that the invisible hand of God, which works slowly but surely, has been actively engaged in directing the twin brothers "Right and Justice" to befriend and protect us whose existence in the world was most essential to humanity.

CAPABLE TO GOVERN

"The great Welsh wizard who helped his country to win the war, before his departure to San Remo, very vividly and advisedly said to our leaders in London: 'You have now your start, it is up to you to make good.'

"This inspiring and practical advice should be fully taken advantage of and realised.

"Our moral duty, aim and ambition, would be to accelerate and enhance the success and prosperity of our country.

"In the name of those who sacrificed their lives on the late battlefields of Europe, Asia and Africa, to uphold right and justice and to save the world from despotic rule, we remind our brave lads who have distinguished themselves, in the late war on air, land and water to work hard on the soil of their fatherland, with same patience and perseverance that overcome mountains, until such time that their liberators finally discover, the high-minded Great Britain, and the other noble and mighty nations who took part in the conquest of Palestine, the capitulation of Jerusalem and the ultimate emancipation of the Jew—finally discover, to their entire satisfaction, that the Jew is capable to regulate the reins of the state, and his independence has consequently become inevitable."

Count Boni To Open Style Shop

Count Boni de Castellane.

The Count Boni De Castellane, who wedded Anna Gould, daughter of Jay Gould, New York millionaire, plans to open a fashion shop in Fifth avenue, according to a report from Paris. The Count, according to the reports, attracted much attention by taking mysterious notes during a feminine fashion show in Paris. When asked the reason of the notes, the Count explained that he expected to open a style shop in New York. "I will give personal advice to American women about how and what to buy in France, supplying them with 'tips' and hints about prices and models," said the Count.

Unit Of Destroyers Arrives In Shangha

(Continued from Page 1)

self in the Pacific Destroyer Flotilla which has not been equalled by any other destroyer in that flotilla.

The Filipinos have done excellent work in operating a ship and are justifiably proud of the vessel which bears the name of their patriot and martyr, Dr. Jose Rizal.

But to the Americans aboard must go the credit for what the Rizal has done: for they were placed on the Rizal at the time of commissioning as instructors and the name the Rizal has made for herself has proved conclusively that they have done their work well.

Mr And Mrs. Corbin Give Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Corbin, who were married a week ago today, entertained at dinner last night at the Carlton Cafe. The affair was in the nature of a going-away party as Mr. Corbin, who is connected with the China Import and Export Lumber Company, will leave this week with his bride to assume a post with the company in Hongkong.

The large circular table on which the dinner was served upstairs at the Carlton was decorated in a most novel and artistic manner having as its center a wooded lake on which rode a full rigged Chinese junk with a rocky isle in the background. Chinese wood carved pieces typifying phases of Chinese life and illumined with miniature paper lanterns were at each place.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Doremus, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Seitz, Mr. Thomas Knight, Mrs. Robert Keesey, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Elliot, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Grooms and Dr. and Mrs. William Rector Smith.

Aviator Masiero Flies To Peking

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, May 18.—Lieutenant Masiero left Tsingtao at 11 o'clock this morning and arrived in Peking at 7:30 p.m. The delay in his arrival gave rise to considerable anxiety during the afternoon as it was believed that he had been forced to land en route.

Tokio, May 17.—The announcement of the safe arrival of the Italian aviator, Lieutenant Ferrarin, in Peking has aroused the keenest interest in Tokio where preparations for his reception are in progress.

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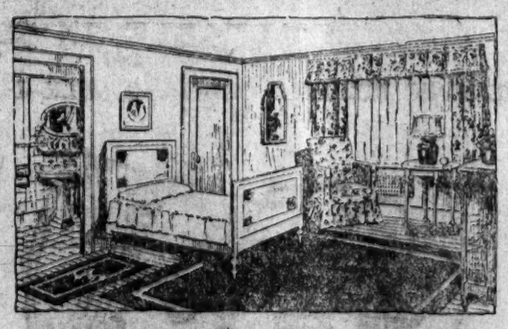

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STUDENTS STRIKE IN TENGCHOWFU

Search Incoming Goods For 'Enemy Wares'—Other Shantung News

(China Press Correspondence)

Tengchowfu, Shantung, May 7. —The Tengchowfu students went on a strike last Tuesday in sympathy with the Shanghai students. Practically all the higher schools of the city have suspended classes. On Tuesday, which was the anniversary of the inception of the Student Movement, a large parade was held after which there was a big meeting in one of the temples. On Friday, which was the anniversary of the granting of the twenty-one demands, an even larger parade was held. The students spend their time searching all incoming goods for "enemy goods" and in street speaking both here in the city and in all the nearby villages. Special delegations are sent to all fairs, many of which are now being held in the country, to address the crowds assembled there. As one closely watches the activities of the students one can not help but believe that the strike is inspired by "two parts" patriotism and "eight parts" desire to get out of class.

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Recently during a visit of the local Magistrate to a lead mine to the south of the city a jailbreak occured in the county yamen. Several of those escaping were in for murder and despite the best efforts of the authorities they all made good their escape. A guard who assisted them in their flight disappeared with them. The magistrate summarily beat the underlings and also some of the escaped men's relatives trying to extort information which would lead to the discovery of the fugitives.

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The excellent prospects we have had all spring for a bumper wheat crop are being badly hurt by the continued dry weather. Owing to the failure of the crops last summer the situation is really very serious. Corn, which has been selling for twice as much as it brought at this time last year, took another jump in price last week. All are earnestly hoping that the drought will soon be broken.

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Rev. T. F. McRea of the Southern Baptist Mission, who has been very low with pneumonia, is convalescent.

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Dr. C. W. Pruit of Hwanghsien spent a few days here last week attending to business matters in connection with the Southern Baptist Mission.

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Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Irwin and family will leave in a few days for Shanghai from where they will sail on the steamer Nile for Ameria on furlough. They have been in the field nine years since their last furlough. Their Chinese friends are showering them with tokens of their appreciation.

MUTT & JEFF — Jeff Thinks His Method Beats Deportation — By Bud Fisher

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IT SAID THERE WAS ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND REDS IN NEW YORK READY TO TAKE UP ARMS SECRETLY BUT
NOW THERE'S ONLY NINETY-NINE THOUSAND, NINE HUNDRED AND NINETY-NINE
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Miss Reimert Wins Oratorical Contest At Kuling School

First And Second Year High School Classes Take Part In It

(China Press Correspondence)

Kuling, Kiangsi, May 12.—An interesting event in the activities of The Kuling School was a declamation contest held in Medical Hall on the evening of May 8. Members of the first and second year high school classes took part. This event will henceforth be an annual affair, and will be part of the required work in English in these two classes. The pupils of these two classes who participated in the contest memorised well known speeches and were drilled for two weeks by the English teachers.

On the evening of the contest Headmaster Albert H. Stone acted as chairman and introduced the speakers. The judges were Miss Tilley of the British School, Mr. Reed, Secretary of the Kuling Estate, and Mr. Bergamini of Boone University.

The program was as follows:

"War and Human Brotherhood," — Anatole Touchinsky.

"The Impeachment of Warren Hastings,"—Miss Helen Adams.

"Patrick Henry's speech before the Virginia Assembly,"—Baird Butchart.

Extracts from "Burke's Conciliation,"—Alfred Duff.

"Our Responsibilities as a Nation,"—Miss Kathryn Reimert.

Extract from "First Bunker Hill Oration,"—Raymond Kepler.

"The New South"—Sam Reimert.

During the intermission when the judges were making their decisions, the boys' glee club entertained the audience.

Miss Kathryn Reimert was awarded first place, and was presented with a copy of Shakespeare's complete works as first prize.

Nanchang Students' Strike Parade Plan Foiled By Troops

(China Press Correspondence)

Nanchang, May 13.—Last Friday morning when the striking students of practically all the schools of the city attempted to parade the streets to show their disapproval of the actions of the Peking government they found squads of soldiers with fixed bayonets standing at guard in front of their gates. Not a student was allowed to pass in or out. Telephone connections were cut off. The students were prisoners. Special precautions were taken on "National Humiliation Day" to prevent threatened outbreaks.

The students have been defeated. Yesterday morning the Commissioner of Education gave them the choice of attending classes or being sent home. He threatened to close the schools and most of the boys rather than lose the whole term's work resumed their studies. The militarists have won this time but the students declare they are counting the days until the next opportunity to show their patriotism.

Henry Acquitted In Vice Inquiry

(Reuter's Service)

New York, May 15.—Inspector Henry of the New York police, who was charged with neglect of duty, in connection with the recent "Vice Crusade" inquiry, has been found not guilty.

News Brevities

The entertainment of the Jewish School will be held in the ballroom of the Cercle Sportif Francais this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock.

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The annual general meeting of Messrs. Lane, Crawford and Company will be held at the company tomorrow afternoon at 5:15 o'clock.

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The fourth musical entertainment of Prof. Zalsman will be given tomorrow afternoon at 5:15 o'clock at the Astor House Hotel.

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The Hungjao Golf Club will hold its annual general meeting at the Country Club tomorrow evening at 6 o'clock.

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The seventeenth ordinary meeting of the North China Insurance Co., Ltd., will take place on Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

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The Wu Ting-fang bank account case is to be called in the civil division of the Mixed Court again today. A sum said to amount to nearly $2,000,000 is involved in the case. The money, it is said, was placed in the custody of Dr. Wu as Minister of Finance of the Canton government. It is now tied up by injunction.

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The board of directors of the Shanghai Young Men's Christian Association has been recently organised with the following officers: Chairman, Dr. C. T. Wang; Vice-Chairman, Mr. S. C. Chu; Recording Secretary, Mr. T. Y. Chang and Treasurer, Mr. N. L. Han.

Dr. H. C. Mei, Mr. K. F. Chang, Dr. T. H. Lee, Mr. S. K. Lau, Dr. Fong F. Sec, Mr. Zee Soh-zung, Mr. K. S. Lee, Mr. C. C. Nieh, Mr. C. H. Wang, Mr. S. S. Chow and Mr. U. P. Nga have also been elected directors.

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Dr. W. W. Yen, recently returned from his post as Minister to Denmark, is to be the guest of honor at an informal tea to be given by the board of directors of the Shanghai Young Men's Christian Association on Thursday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock. Dr. Yen was one of the founders, and for years a director of the local association. He will be guest of honor at a reception to be given at 4 o'clock this afternoon by the World's Chinese Students' Federation at the M. Y. San Restaurant.

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A benefit entertainment will be given by the Cantonese Union at the Chinese Y.M.C.A., 120 Szechuen Road, on Saturday night in aid of the Yunnan Missionary Movement. The program begins at 7:30 o'clock and includes magic, moving pictures, and music.

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A memorial service was held at the Ella Stewart Memorial Chapel, North Szechuen Road, yesterday afternoon in honor of the late Mrs. J. Woodberry. A brass tablet was unveiled by the former students of the deceased lady.

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Arrangements for events of the tennis season are to be discussed at a meeting that will be held at 5:15 o'clock today by the Shanghai American Athletic Club in the court room of the American Court for China on Whangpoo Road.

Rumanian Prince In Kobe June 15

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, May 17.—The Crown Prince of Rumania will arrive at Kobe on June 15.

BRITISH POLICY ON MESOPOTAMIA OIL FIELDS ATTACKED

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 16.—The Sunday Express, attacking the Government's policy in the Mesopotamian oilfields, declares that in 1914 the Anglo-Porsian Company had a hundred percent claim to Mesopotamian oil rights; second, that in March, 1914, owing to the obstruction of the Germans who intervened through Herr von Kuehlmann and others on behalf of the Turkish Petroleum Company, the claim was reduced to fifty percent, although the arrangement was not ratified owing to the war; and, third, that the Dutch Combine today proposes to reduce the Anglo-Persian Company's claim to thirty-four percent.

Melbourne, May 16.—The Commonwealth House of Representatives today passed the second reading of the Anglo-Persian Oil Agreement by 36 votes to 17. Mr. Hughes, the Premier, stated that the Commonwealth Government would assist oil prospectors in Papua, ex-German New Guinea and in Australia.

London, May 15.—An Empire Motor Fuels Committee has been appointed with a view to developing the production of additional supplies in all parts of the Empire.

WOOD VICTOR IN OHIO ELECTIONS; DEFEATS HARDING

Indianapolis, May 8.—The complete unofficial returns of this state give General Leonard Wood 85,776 votes. Senator Johnson received 70,829 and Governor Lowden of Illinois polled 31,118.

According to reports coming from Ohio, Leonard Wood will have 101 of the Ohio delegation and Senator Harding 3.

The four delegates at large from Colorado will go to the Republican convention uninstructed.

Washington, May 7.—General Wood's candidacy opened with a shower of fire works in the Senate, when Senator William S. Kenyon, Iowa, stated that the Du Pont interests, the largest American manufacturers of dyestuffs, virtually threatened an attack on Wood's campaign unless Senator George H. Moses, New Hampshire, one of Wood's campaign managers, desisted from his opposition to the pending bill to protect the American dyestuffs.

Senator Kenyon read a letter from the Du Pont Publicity Bureau, which he declared was a threat and told the Senate that influences were working for the defeat of the bill.

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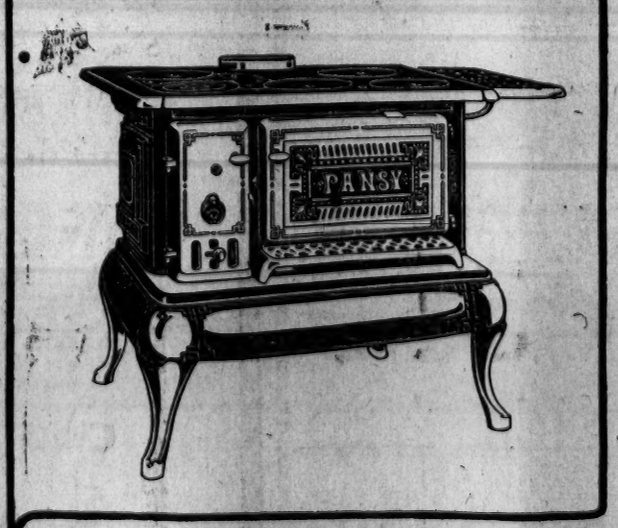

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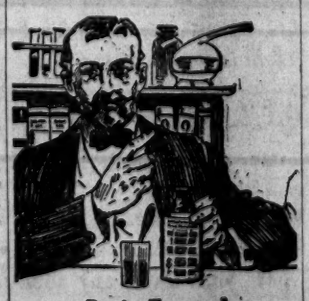

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SHANGHAI TEAM DEFEATS HELENA

Second Practice Game Of Season Results In Score Of 7-2

Shanghai's baseball club members proved beyond any doubt that they are rounding into splendid form for the forthcoming season when, yesterday, they met a team from the U.S.S. Helena and won the contest by a score of 7 to 2.

From a standpoint of good baseball it was not much of an exhibition. The line-up was altered in almost every inning, the playing was somewhat ragged and there was a general looseness in the organisation that is common to pre-season exhibitions.

But the stuff was there. It was evident that if the management of the Shanghai team is willing to ignore personalities and go after the best material available it can develop an organisation that will be a credit to the Settlement. A baseball team can be made out of the men who were on the diamond yesterday that is competent to meet any competitor in the Far East.

But in the stands there was talk of seniority. That is dangerous. If Shanghai is to have a baseball team its players must win their places on merit. And it is the general belief that none of the old players who see younger men better fitted for their stations than are they themselves will do otherwise than urge that the youngsters replace them. With this prospect in view it may be safely predicted that the Settlement will have a Champion Club this year.

Yesterday's practice game was interesting although one-sided. Shanghai led off with three runs in the first inning, took two more in the fifth and two more in the seventh. The last two runs were hardly of credit to the home players, however, as the light was so poor that the fielders had no chance.

The sailors were blanked for two innings, got one run in the third and romped home with their second in the fifth. They were out of practice, it was evident, but they were good sportsmen and the game was marked by an unusual feature in baseball—not a word was said against the umpire except when one member of the winning team muttered under his breath that he thought Bristow had called "a wide one" on the sailors. But the sailors didn't kick even about that.

It was a friendly game and the small crowd of spectators enjoyed themselves to the utmost. The players did, too, apparently, and the best of feeling was evidenced throughout the afternoon.

The game went to seven innings, the score being:

Helena .... 0 0 1 0 0 1 0—2
Shanghai ... 3 0 0 0 2 0 2—7

There's no use to try to say who played where. Every inning saw a change of line-up, the object of the game being to work out all the material for the best practice possibilities.

P.S.—Brad Crow was back in the game "with bells on."

Police Reserve Orders

Shanghai Municipal Police (Reserve). Orders by the A. C. P. (Reserve).

No. 11. Revolver Range, Town Hall.—The Range, off the South room, Town Hall, will be opened on 20th instant at 5:30 p.m. and will be available thereafter for practice every Tuesday and Thursday from 5:30 to 7 p.m. and every Sunday from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., until further notice. For the present, practice will be made with the .22 Colt Automatic Target Pistol.

No. 12. Summer Uniform.—Will be taken into wear from date. Any member not having drawn this will call at the Store, Gordon Road Depot to sign a receipt for an order on the tailor.

No. 13. Holsters.—The .45 Colt Automatic having been adopted as the arm of the Reserve, Warning Officers will collect Webley holsters and exchange them at the Store for Colt holsters for issue to their squads.

(Sd.) A. L. ANDERSON,
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May 18, 1920.

Russian, Broke, Homesick, Hangs Himself In Room

Penniless, homesick, unable to meet his wife in Vladivostok and uncertain as to her fate, Yiezky Kraefsky gave up the battle with mundane handicaps and hanged himself in his room in a house at 301 Avenue Joffre Sunday. He was found by a compatriot, who cut him down and notified the police of the tragedy.

The man who committed suicide left a note saying that he was out of funds and despondent and begged that none other than himself be blamed for his death.

Many Attractions To Be Staged At McTyeire Fete On Friday And Saturday

Instead of passing round the hat for donations, the McTyeire Sorority will raise funds for the erection of new buildings on the McTyeire Campus and at the same time give the public its money's worth. The enterprise will take the form of a two-day fete to be held on Friday and Saturday at the former German Club, corner of Jinkee Road and the Bund, beginning daily at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and closing at midnight.

Many special features are offered by the sorority which is being assisted by the administration of the school, the alumnae and the present student body. Besides a picturesque bazaar of ivory, laces, perfumes, silks, linen, toys, antiques, baskets, china ware and other native products to be sold at cost, there will be three programs of entertainments daily.

From 3:30 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon, there will be the children's entertainment. Among the special features will be the Highland Fling, a Skipping Rope Drill, a Pantomime entitled "Where Are You Going, Little Pretty Maid?"; a one-act playlet known as "The Peak Sisters," a folk dance, a cantata termed "Daisy Face" and other attractions.

VARIETY ENTERTAINMENT

A variety entertainment is scheduled between 6 and 7:30 o'clock in the evening. The program will consist of a piano solo and a piano duet, songs by the McTyeire Glee Club, a dialogue on Spanish Gypsies, a dance called the Maid in Mirth, Humanophone and the production of the balcony scene in Romeo and Juliet.

Especially attractive will be the operetta "Sylvia" to be staged between 9 and 11 o'clock nightly, in which 60 talented girls of the McTyeire School are taking part. Rehearsals are being held daily and those who have seen them pronounce them a distinct success. The operetta has never before been attempted by any school in China and is being directed by the Misses C. Park, M. B. Olive and M. Smith.

As side shows, there will be the fishing pond, the toboggan slide for children, and exhibition of an unusual picture of embroidery work depicting Christ and his mother. The panel is the work of a Chinese lady who won the first prize in embroidery in Paris. The lady has spent one year over the work and the coloring effects have been pronounced by many as wonderful.

BARGAIN SALE

At 3 o'clock on the opening day, a bargain sale will be offered as a special attraction to early customers. Many kinds of native products including shoes, embroideries, silverware, ivory works, perfumes and silks will be offered.

Tea and supper will be served on both days. During these hours, the band of the Defense Commissioner will render the music.

Tickets can be secured now at Moutrie's, Lane, Crawford and Co., Hall and Holtz, Ltd., Wing On Co., Sincere Co., Astor House Hotel, Ltd., Kalee Hotel, Burlington Hotel, Evan's Bookstore, Squires, Bingham, Whiteaway, Laidlaw, the Y.M.C.A., the Y.W.C.A., the World's Chinese Students' Federation and McTyeire School, 21 Hankow Road.

Unclaimed Cablegrams

Chinese Telegraph Administration
May
1 Pezzini.—Africa.
1 Weeks.—Hankow.
2 Shichman.—Harbin.
3 Nystrom Palace.—Tanyang.
4 Harrison Astor.—Harbin.
7 Earle.—Empress of Russia.
7 Mrs. Blenk Astor.—Siakwan.
7 Sididhan.—Suhchowkan.
7 Wada.—Tientsin.
8 Ma.—Tayeh.
9 Tseng.—Peking.
11 Dillon Bancolodge.—Newchwang.
11 Guanhinhoo.—Tenyo Maru.
11 Tambungkui.—Wuhu.
12 Billoff Astor.—Harbin.
13 Lamuel Taylor Kalee.—Hankow.
13 Weiseng.—Kaifeng.
14 Landau Broadway Hakac.—Changchun.
15 Passos Frame Leaycraft.—Tientsin.
15 Riloff Astor.—Harbin.
16 Mars Cheslure, Vancouver Lodge, Sinza Road.—Ichang.
17 Chou Lee Nea, French Bund.—Hankow.

Eastern Extension Australasia & China Telegraph Co., Ltd.
May
1 Hall.—Roma.
4 Cleo.—Paris.
7 Mahhothye Thienchootungkol.—Bangkok.
11 J. S. Mason.—San Francisco.
12 Aylen.—Legaspi.
12 North China Railway.—London.
12 Nassim.—Calcutta.
16 Chester.—London.
15 Rolbob.—Manila.
17 Johnson Splitdorf.—Singapore.

Great Northern Telegraph Co.
April
13 Rohrer, Astor House.—
14 McMullan.—Yokohama.
Yokohama.
14 Arab, Astor House.—Kobe.
14 Capt Kozlovsky, Palace Hotel.—Vladivostok.
15 Capt Kozlovsky, Palace Hotel.—Kobe.
15 Hopohrt Youroveta, 31 Sezchuen Road.—Tokio.
16 Fion.—Tokio.
20 Powhattan Lunt.—Yokohama.
21 Svidersky Astor.—Vladivstok.
21 Urgent Ashton Imperial Hotel—Kobe.
23 Kurihara Hoyokan Hotel.—Hongkong.
24 Kaishundo.—Osaka.
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2 S. Grey Dayton Great Eastern Hotel.—Tokio.
5 Brylinski.—Tokio.
13 Mrs. Harold B. Harkness Hotel Astor.—Obihiro.
14 Marjorie Sake Astor House.—Yokohama.
15 Davis Astor House Hotel.—Hongkong.
15 Davis Palace Hotel.—Hongkong.
16 Crossland.—Hongkong.

Obituary

DR. R. M. BURROWS
(Reuter's Service)

London, May 15.—The death is announced of Dr. Ronald Montagu Burrows, Principal of King's College, London.

Dr. Burrows became Principal of King's College in 1913. He was an eminent Greek scholar and did extensive research work in Greek archaeology, for which he was decorated by the Greek Government.

Dr. Burrows has also done much to promote Anglo-Hellenic friendship. At the time of his death he was Acting President of the Anglo-Hellenic League.

Concert And Ball Benef.t Planned For Needy Russians

A grand concert and ball will be given Thursday night, May 27, in the concert hall and supper rooms of the Cercle Sportif Francais for the beenfit of needy Russians in Shanghai, the Cercle Sportif Francais having loaned the rooms for the occasion to the League of Russian Officers.

At 5 o'clock this afternoon the committee in charge, comprised of Mrs. W. G. Avery, Baron and Baroness W. Bistram, Princess Dimitry N. Golitizine, Mme. N. A. Ivanoff, Mme. L. Straetmans, Mme. G. G. Synnerberg, Admiral Kovalevsky and Messrs. P. Selivanoff, P. Tisseau and S. W. Wolfe will meet at the French club to discuss further plans for the affair. Madame L. Straetmans and Admiral Kovalevsky are joint presidents of this committee, Mr. K. C. Ramsden is Hon. Secretary and Mr. Wolfe, Hon. Secretary.

The Society of Literature and Art has undertaken to direct the concert, on the program of which will be selections by the Russian Balalaika Orchestra, the Russian chorus, and the Russian ballet. It is also hoped to secure Mrs. Isenman, Maestro Paci and Mr. Brunelli.

A valuable Turkoman carpet, the property of a Russian and his wife who are destitute in Shanghai, will be raffled. It is on display in one of the windows of Whitelaw-Laidlaw's, where tickets may be obtained. Concert and ball tickets may also be obtained from members of the committee, at the Cercle Sportif Francais and the Russo-Asiatic Bank.

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State for Foreign Affairs, on the subject of the Polish advance.

Lord Robert Cecil writing on May 3, strongly condemns the Polish offensive and hopes that the British Government will immediately summon the Council of the League of Nations to deal with the situation.

LEAGUE INTERVENTION IMPOSSIBLE AT PRESENT

Lord Curzon replied on May 11. He denied that Poland had been preparing to attack Russia for months past, and declared that the Poles' endeavors to open peace negotiations were genuine and had only been abandoned when the Poles had learned that the Bolsheviki were concentrating opposite their front a large supply of guns and materials captured from General Denikin.

Lord Curzon said that it was impossible to invoke the intervention of the League of Nations to check an offensive in an unfinished war. The League of Nations would be in a difficult position if it attempted to mediate between Poland and the Russian Government, which did not recognise the League's authority. Finally Lord Curzon disagreed with Lord Robert Cecil's view that Esthonia and Latvia were hostile to Poland.

Lord Robert Cecil replied on May 13, dwelling on the disease, starvation and misery in Eastern Europe and expressing the hope that even now steps might be taken to retrieve the position.

Tokio, May 17.—The Japanese contingent which landed at Alexandrovsk Sachalien, some time ago, waiting for transport to Nikolaievski, reached Dekastri Bay near Alexandrovsk across the Gulf of Tartary on May 14.

Plan To Call Halt On Rice Smuggling

Effective measures are being adopted by the local officials to prevent the smuggling of rice into Japan and the purchase of the cereal under the pretext that it is wanted for army ration as the result of soaring of the price of rice in Shanghai and neighboring cities.

The Civil Governor of Kiangsu has instructed all Customs authorities and railway administrations in the province to place searching vigilance on all rice leaving Shanghai either by rail or by boat. Already a large quantity of rice has been seized by the railway and customs authorities. It is thought to have been smuggled from Shanghai into Japan, where the price of China rice is quoted at 29 yen.

A movement is also on foot to establish a cheap rice exchange to be conducted by the City Magistrate. Arrangements are being made to buy 10,000 piculs of Wusih rice to be shipped to this port and sold at cost. This is expected to keep the price low.

BIG CROWD FOR AMERICAN PICNIC ALREADY ASSURED

Plans for the American picnic to be given in Jessfield Park at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon by the American Song Service indicate that more than twice the number originally figured on to attend will be present, according to announcement by those in charge of the picnic last night. The announcement continues:

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Panic Danger Seen If Britain Imposes Tax On War Wealth

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 15.—Representative Banking, Commercial and Stock Exchange bodies have made representations to the House of Commons Select Committee, strongly criticising the scheme for the levy on war fortunes and urging that there is danger of financial panic if the levy is imposed.

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Semi-Annual Report Made By Kuling School Principal

Fifty-Four Foreign Children Attend This Year And Their Good Health Is Ascribed To Plenty Of Outdoor Exercise

(*China Press Correspondence*)

Kuling, Kiangsi, May 11.—The semi-annual report of the Principal of the Kuling School for Foreign Children to the Board of Managers contains much information interesting to parents and others.

There have been 54 pupils in attendance this year of whom 49 are boarders. The majority of the children are Americans, with British children ranking next. There are seven in the High School department, the others being in primary and grammar departments.

Special attention has been given to the inculcation of thoroughness into the work of the pupils, as a high standard of work is one of the foremost ideals of the school.

The Music department is also a noteworthy feature of the school curriculum, and splendid work has been done under Miss McKinney in both vocal and piano departments.

The health of the children has been excellent. In addition to the services of Dr. Venable, the school has now Miss Morrison, a trained nurse, giving her whole time to looking after this important matter.

A happy outdoor life is enjoyed by the children. Basket-ball, tennis and other games for the girls, tennis, football, hockey and baseball for the boys, as well as the beautiful mountain walks in and around Kuling give plenty of enjoyable recreation. Their play is carried on under the personal supervision of the teachers. All pupils are required to take at least one hour a day for exercise, and it is believed that the general good health prevailing among them has been largely due to this.

During the spring term a sewing class has been organised and the girls have taken much interest in it. It is hoped there will be a course also for them in Domestic Science, as well as a course in Manual Training for the boys, in the the new school building.

The School is now finishing its fourth year during which time it has been housed in bungalows with classes held in Medical and Synod Halls but a large four story dormitory is now in course of erection. When this building is completed it is to be followed by another dormitory, especially for boys.

The staff of the School is composed as follows:

Mr. Albert H. Stone, B.A. Head Master. Whittier College, Haverford College, Graduate work.

Mr. Theodore Hobbie, Princeton University.

Miss Marie Vernon, B.A. Whittier College, Whittier, California, Los Angeles State Normal, Cal.

Miss Gertrude Harlow, Teachers' College, Indianapolis, Ind.

Mrs. J. H. Reid, B.A. Whittier College.

Supervisor of Music Department, Miss Grace K. McKinney, Northwestern University, Chicago, Ill. Knox Conservatory, Galisbury, Ill.

Supervisor of the Housekeeping Department, Mrs. James Butchart, B.A. Eureka College, Eureka, Ill.

Secretary, Miss N. G. Carnie.

School Physician, W. H. Venable, M.D.

Matron, Miss Loretta M. Cook, B.A. Whittier College, Golden Gate Kindergarten Association.

School Nurse. Miss Morrison.

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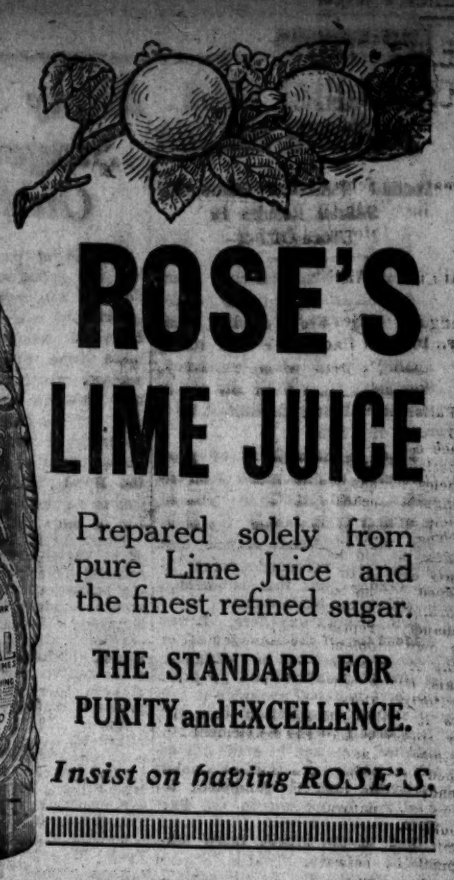

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PEACE TERMS CRUSH HUNGARY, SAYS APPONYI

Treaty Is Sentence Of Death, Based On One-Sided Information

CALLED GLARING INJUSTICE

Hungarians Never Got Chance To Present Facts Of Country's Problem

Paris, April 2.—Count Albert Apponyi, head of the Hungarian peace commission, has given The Associated Press the first of two articles he has written on the Hungarian peace treaty. The article says:

"The decisions of the Allied Powers, as laid down in the peace treaty offered to Hungary, were ripened on the basis of one-sided information. Hungary never got a chance to represent the facts of her own problem from her own point of view; her enemies, her rivals, those who coveted her territories, alone had a hearing. Now it is perfectly true that in war Hungary had been among the enemies and her aforementioned neighbors among the friends of the Entente. So it seems quite natural that partiality should be shown to them. We admit that; we are not asking for impartiality between friend and foe; that would be unnatural. But, if in the first stage of inquiry you listen to one side only you will have a distorted, an untrue view of facts and the decisions founded on such an unsound basis will be fraught with injustice and future dangers. This deviation from the principles of fair procedure lies at the bottom of the errors which characterise the peace treaty offered to Hungary as a monument of injustice and as a source of dangers to the peace of Europe.

"Let me give its outlines in as few words as possible:

"It takes away from Hungary two-thirds of her territory and of her population. It gives, to what is left of her, frontiers defenseless, everywhere open to hostile invasion. It deprives her by cutting off the peripheral regions of almost all her woodland, pasture grounds, iron ore, salt, oil, bituminous gas, water power, of the greater part of her manufacturing establishments and her best coal mines. It dissects the natural unity of her river system, so as to make impossible a rational system of water regulation, which means that floods and dryness will alternate in the center left to her. It reduces her territory to the great central plain and her economic life to a merely agricultural one, but at the same time it deprives that agriculture, the only source of prosperity left to her, of every chance of progress by cutting it off from all its raw materials and from all natural markets and by handing it over to the mercies of non-regulated waters.

A SENTENCE OF DEATH

"On these reduced and impoverished rumps is laid to a large extent the burden of the national debt contracted by the whole country before its mutilation and the further burdens, undefined in figures, resulting from the principles of 'reparations.' No account is taken of the fact that this country, after having suffered, like all the belligerents, from the war, has been plundered by four months of Bolshevik rule and three months more of Rumanian occupation. Payments are exacted from her without delay in her present state of distraction which would have ruined her in the brightest days of her economic prosperity. Her commercial policy, her river navigation are submitted to restrictions and regulations which make economic revival all but impossible.

"This picture looks like a caricature, but, no, it is a portrait.

"That treaty is a sentence of death. If it was not meant to be that, then it is a monstrous mistake, arising from the original sin of one-sided information.

"Now let us examine how far it is founded on justice or on general expediency. What is its ethical justification, what is its promise?

HUNGARY HELD MOST GUILTY

"The Allied powers hold the vanquished countries responsible for the outbreak of the war; there is professedly an element of retribution in the terms of peace offered to them. But, if justice is to prevail, retribution must be proportioned to guilt. And, as no belligerent country on our side, neither Germany nor Austria nor Bulgaria, has been afflicted by peace terms nearly as cruel as those proposed to Hungary, it would appear that Hungary is to be considered as the most guilty of all.

"Now this is self-evident absurdity. Hungary was not quite an independent country at the time before war. She was in connection with Austria and had to act with her in all foreign matters. She had therefore no freedom of independent decision in the question of war, but only a vote in the common councils of the Austro-Hungarian monarchy. On that ground alone she is less responsible than any other belligerent.

"An official account of the Austro-Hungarian so-called 'crown-council' in which the ultimatum to Servia, the signal for the outbreak, was decided upon has been published in the Austrian Red Book. It results from this account that the Hungarian Prime Minister, the late Count Tisza, opposed the sending of the ultimatum and advocated diplomatic instead of warlike action to the last. When taken off his feet by a comminatory message from Berlin he at least obtained the adoption of a declaration of territorial disinterest concerning Servia, which if communicated to the powers in due time might still have averted war. Count Tisza had, in his anti-war action, the hearty support of the whole country. Had Hungary been able to decide for herself there would have been no war.

'ACT OF GLARING INJUSTICE'

"How is it possible, then, from the retribution standpoint, to act toward her as if she were the most, instead of being, as she in fact was, the least, responsible among the vanquished nations? By what principle of international ethics can it be justified that capital punishment should be inflicted on her, who was not quite a free agent in the guilty act and used such freedom as she had to prevent it?

"True that, once the dice were cast, she threw all her energies into the war and remained true to her allies to the last. But this was done after the outbreak, when it had become, much against her will, a question of self-defense and of national honor. It may sometimes be found expedient to reward treachery and to punish honesty, but you cannot construct this into an act of justice or into a juridical principle.

"So much for the retributive side of our peace treaty. Is it saying too much that, considered from the standpoint, it appears as an act of glaring injustice?"

Chinese, Japanese Students Exchange Opinions in Tokio

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Tokio, May 17.—Chinese students in Tokio held a meeting in the Y.M.C.A. Hall here this evening for the purpose of exchanging views with the Japanese on international problems, bearing on Sino-Japanese relations.

The Secretary of the Chinese Students' Association in Tokio spoke on an "Amalgamation of the Chinese and Japanese civilisations."

He was followed by a professor of Peking University who discussed "The obstacles in the way of Sino-Japanese amity." Dr. Sakuzo Yoshino placed the Japanese side before the audience in a speech on "The significance of Sino-Japanese friendship." There was a large attendance at the meeting, including two thousand Chinese students.

Dollar Company Wins Court Suit

The case of the Oriental Press versus The Robert Dollar Company, which was tried in the United States Court for China, was decided yesterday by Judge C. S. Lobingier in favor of the Robert Dollar Company.

The basis of the action was the alleged failure of the Dollar Company to deliver a certain consignment of paper that was stored in one of its godowns and the defense advanced was that the plaintiff had neglected to pay certain godown charges. The plaintiff was represented in the case by Mr. J. Em. Lemiere and the defendant by Messrs. Fleming, Davies and Bryan.

REPORTS GIVEN AT MEETING OF WOMAN'S CLUB

Arrangements Are Discussed For Garden Fete To Be Given This Week

Summaries of annual reports that are to appear in the forthcoming 'Annual' of the American Woman's Club, to be issued in June, were presented yesterday at the club's annual meeting which was held at the Carlton Cafe in the afternoon following tea at 4 o'clock.

Hostesses for the day were Mrs. E. H. Davis and Mrs. W. H Lowe. The list of new members announced are: Mrs. C. A. Cheshire, Mrs. W. L. Runyan, Mrs. G. M. Thomas, Mrs. T. G. McMartin, Mrs. E. J. Stotler and Miss M. A. Lissak.

Mrs. F. J. Sherman treasurer of the club, reported that the social service department had expended $92.67, that $100 had been expended for charities, that the expenditure of the social department amounted to $404, club expenditures, $640, permanent equipment, $420, music department $75.

Receipts for the year amounted to $2,351.57 and expenditures $2,343.33, leaving a balance of $8.24 to be carried forward. The treasurer reported 120 members behind in their club dues.

The report of the social service department was presented by Mrs. John Sawyer, that of the social department by Mrs. F. B. Hudson, membership committee, Mrs. G. B. Fryer, courtesies committee, Mrs. James Macbeth and vice committee, Mrs. C. F. Remer.

A rising vote of thanks to the outgoing president of the club, Mrs. W H. Lunt, for her devotion to the affairs of the organisation for the past two years was adopted.

Arrangements were discussed at the meeting for the garden fete that is to be given at the Columbia Country Club on Saturday.

Shop, Soaked With Kerosene, Destroyed

Destruction of a pawnshop at Yangtszepoo Road and Sing Pong Lee by fire last night may result in charges of arson. The fire, which was reported at 10:30 o'clock last night, was combatted by sections from Hongkew and Central divisions of the Fire Department and was checked before it could spread to other buildings. The firemen did excellent work.

Investigation of the premises revealed the fact that the structure had been saturated with kerosene.

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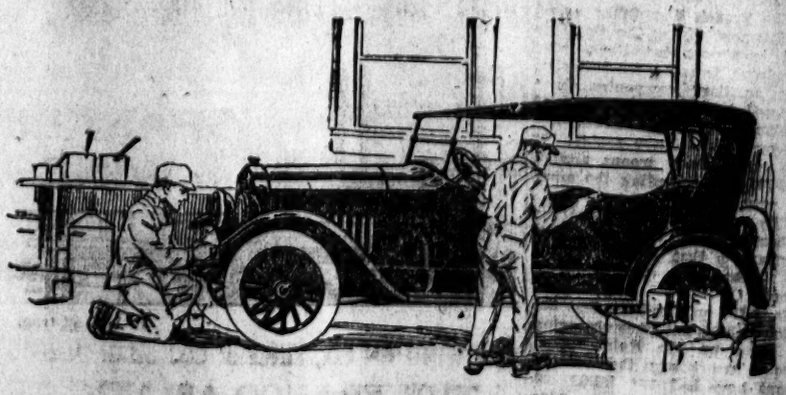

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PARIS DESCRIBES MOVE INTO RUHR

Millerand's Message Sent To All Embassies—Foch Writes Proclamation

PEOPLE SUPPORT MOVE

Popular Feeling Is France Must Enforce Her Terms While Strong

BY EDWIN L. JAMES
(*New York Times*)

Paris, April 6.—French troops entered Frankfort and Darmstadt at 5 o'clock this morning. Four hours later these two cities, with Homburg, Hanau and Dieburg and the surrounding territory, had been occupied by the French Army of the Rhine under command of General Degoutte. The newly occupied territory includes the circles of Frankfort, Darmstadt, Offenbach, Hochst, Konigstein and Diburg.

German Reichswehr troops in the territory affected withdrew before the advancing French troops and it was stated at noon today that the occupation took place without clashes.

It was stated at the French Foreign Office tonight that by sundown all work of occupation should have been completed.

General Degoutte has announced that his troops will be withdrawn as soon as the German Reichswehr troops evacuate completely the neutral zone of fifty kilometers on the right bank of the Rhine as laid down in the Peace Treaty. All the new territory occupied by the French is within the fifty kilometer zone which the Germans violated by sending Reichswehr into the Ruhr Basin.

Under the terms of Treaty Articles 42, 43 and 44 the Germans are forbidden to maintain any armed forces in the neutral zones. Last August Marshal Foch granted permission which expires April 10 and General Degoutte will remain in Frankfort and Darmstadt until after that date and until Marshal Foch shall have ruled that the treaty terms have been met.

TO TAKE FURTHER ACTION

While the present French action is limited officially to the enforcement of Articles 42, 43 and 44 of the treaty, in case the Germans do not comply with it entirely it is possible Foch will take supplementary action to enforce other terms of the treaty especially those relating to the disarmament of Germany.

French officialdom gave the impression yesterday that Foch was pausing. He was. He was engaged in verifying the figures of the number of the German Reichswehr troops which had penetrated into the Ruhr region. His agents had reported 40,000. The Germans claimed 17,000.

The Germans issued a statement today saying that in the Ruhr basin they had 13,500 troops and in the rest of the neutral zone 3,500, making a total of 17,000. Under the August protocol they were permitted to have 17,500 troops in the neutral zone.

The French War Office issued a statement saying the Germans had twenty-six battalions, nine squadrons, twenty-three batteries, four auxiliary companies, three armored trains, one squadron of airplanes and four automobile convoys in the Ruhr region. It was said these troops totaled 25,000, thus exceeding the number permitted.

The general impression at the embassies here, other than the German, is that French figures are right and the Germans wrong.

It is the opinion here that the Reichswehr is not sincerely trying to clean up the Ruhr region. Official report says the German troops have had 129 killed, 20 wounded and 123 missing. This does not indicate heavy fighting.

At the same time, it appears the Red Workers are holding the Reichswehr advance with very mediocre forces. The workers have not been ousted from the canal north of Essen, where they have stood for thirty-six hours. One report from Berlin says awful fighting is going on, and a despatch received the same hour says the whole Ruhr population is enthusiastic about the coming of the Reichswehr into the basin. No official attention is paid to these messages here.

ONE ARMY CORPS USED

Degoutte's troops began the march at midnight and entered Frankfort and Darmstadt simultaneously five hours later. It is stated he is using one army corps, the exact size of which is not stated. The French have half a million troops available if needed. The demobilisation of the 1918 class, scheduled for the first week in April, has been indefinitely delayed.

Premier Millerand states that the Germans must pay the cost of the new occupation. In a statement this morning he said:

"Before the Chamber I made promises with regard to Germany's violating the treaty. All I desire to say is that I am fulfilling those promises."

In reply to a question as to who would pay the cost of the operation, he said: "Germany must pay, since she forced us to act."

M. Millerand last night sent to all the French Embassies throughout the world a statement to be handed to the different Governments explaining France's action. After reviewing what it regards as the hostile and unauthorised acts of Germany the statement says:

"Articles 42 and 44 constitute for France a safeguard so indispensable that the proposed Franco-Anglo-American treaty of guaranty regards as a casus foederis the eventuality where these guarantees would not suffice to assure our protection.

"The situation which has just been created by the brusque offensive of German troops in the Ruhr region obliges the French Government to undertake military measures the execution of which cannot be delayed. These measures have for their sole purpose to force Germany to respect the treaty. They are exclusively of a character of restraint and precaution."

REASON FOR ACTION

Thus the attitude of France may be summed up by saying that she believes it is time some one forced Germany to realise that she must fulfill the treaty and that France is acting while she is stronger against the day when she may not be stronger than Germany.

General Degoutte's proclamation issued to the population of the occupied cities was written by Foch. It says:

"The Government of Berlin, giving way to the pressure of the military party, has started a brusque offensive of German troops against the working population of the basin of the Ruhr. It has thus violated one of the most imperative and most solemn of the stipulations of the Peace Treaty. In the negotiations up to today the French Government has made every effort to persuade the German Government not to take this military action, which a little wisdom would have enabled it to avoid. The troops of Reichswehr have nevertheless invaded the Ruhr Basin.

"The Government of the French Republic therefore considered itself obliged to take measures to force the German Government to respect its signature. That is why I have received the order to occupy immediately the cities of Frankfort, Homburg, Hanau, Darmstadt and Dieburg.

"In proceeding to this occupation I assure you that it implies no hostile intent toward the working population of this region. It is only to insure the execution of the treaty. It will end as soon as the troops of the Reichswehr have completely evacuated the neutral zone."

In orders posted prominently in the newly occupied territory Degoutte says:

"The French troops do not appear as conquerers, but as troops of occupation. No harm will be done to any one nor to any property, on condition that absolute good order reigns in the newly occupied territory."

Detailed orders then proclaim the state of siege, the German civil authorities are ordered to remain at their posts, movement of the population is prohibited between 9 o'clock at night and 5 in the morning, passage from the newly occupied zone to unoccupied territory is forbidden except by pass, all assemblages of more than five persons are forbidden, the newspapers are suspended, a censorship is established, all firearms must be given up except by the regular police. All infractions of rules will be tried by court-martial.

COUNTRY IS SOLID

Judging from newspapers of all shades of opinion, the country is solid behind Millerand and Foch Disregarding the calculations of the diplomats the opinion of the Frenchman on the street is simply this: Germany has 65,000,000 people and is increasing her population fast. France has 35,000,000 people and her population is not increasing. France is staggering under the burden of the last war, which calls for efforts for generations to come. The treaty protects France against a militant Germany and France, while she can, ought to see that the lid is kept on militarism in Germany.

Further than that there is an economic angle to the situation. The franc is one-third its normal value because France owes money. Germany owes France more than enough to pay every sou France owes, Germany will not pay unless she has to and if she does not France is ruined economically. Therefore, France should make Germany understand she must pay.

What man who knows what France did in the war and how dearly her victory was bought can help having some sympathy for this point of view?

Although many newspaper writers are bitter toward President Wilson for "taking sides with Germany," no responsible Government official has any complaint to make of any one of the allied or associated powers. One gets from all Government officials the calm statement that Germany is learning she cannot defy victorious France. There may be alarmist reports about a new war, but the other nations should be today disposed to take at their face value France's declarations that her action is limited.

M. Millerand's formal notification to Germany, handed to Herr Mayer, the German Charge here says:

M. MILLERAND'S NOTE

"By my letter of April 2 I asked you to insist to your Government on the withdrawal of the German troops which unduly had penetrated the neutral zone fixed by Article 42 of the Treaty of Versailles.

"My request remaining without effect, I have the honor to inform you that the Commander in Chief of the army on the Rhine has received an order to occupy immediately the cities of Frankfort, Homburg, Hanau, Darmstadt and Dieburg.

"This occupation will end as soon as the German troops shall have completely evacuated the neutral zone."

Frankfort is the second city in importance in Germany. It has a population of 420,000 and is an important banking, transportation and trading center. It was there that in 1871 was signed the treaty which took Alsace-Lorraine from the French. Darmstadt has a population of 100,000, being the capital of the Grand Duchy of Hesse. Hanau, noted as a center of jewelry manufacture, has a population of 35,000. Homburg has 15,000 population and Dieburg is about the same size.

Much amusement was caused here by a despatch from Berlin saying the German Government had interrupted a radio message from Moscow addressed to German Communists asking for information as to what was going on in the Ruhr Basin and asking whether it was true that the Red army was in control. The reason this is funny is that for a week the German news agencies have been sending out stories about how Moscow planned the Ruhr revolt and was directing it by wireless to Essen.

Paris, April 6 (Associated Press).—An official communication issued this evening says:

"The military operation contemplated against Frankfort and Darmstadt was begun today in the early hours. The troops of the 30th Corps took part in the operation and met with no resistance. The encircling of the two towns and the occupation of important points of the circle were completed at 11 o'clock by our cavalry, which in the afternoon occupied Hanau, previously evacuated by the German troops.

"A battalion of German Security Police was taken over in the Frankfort barracks and disarmed."

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		2,500	Baum-Marten
772	Seal Skins, for account Japanese Government	6,000	Stone Marten
568	Broadtails		

TUESDAY, May 11

9,600	Badger	1,000	Blue Fox
28,000	House Cat	11,000	White Fox
180	Wolverine	2,100	Cross Fox
		1,200,000	Squirrel

WEDNESDAY, May 12

2,000	Bear	119	Leopard Cat
2,675	Hair Seal	4,600	Reindeer Skins
350	Mountain Lion	550,000	Opossum

THURSDAY, May 13

1,500 Silver Fox

FRIDAY, May 14

16,500	Wild Cat	2,900	Lynx
15,000	Lynx Cat	175,000	Raccoon

SATURDAY, May 15

2,400	Viscachas	180,000	Ermine, White
10,000	Chinchilla Rat	35,000	Ermine, Grey
2,400	Chinchilla	80,000	Ermine, Brown

MONDAY, May 17

160,000 Mink

TUESDAY, May 18

7,800	Russian Sable	37	Japanese Sable
		7	Sea Otter

WEDNESDAY, May 19

90,000 Red Fox

THURSDAY, May 20

400,000 Skunk

FRIDAY, May 21

157,000	Rabbits (Dutch and Belgian)	1,000	China Pahmi
190,000	Pounds Australian Rabbi Skins	10,500	Dressed Lamb Skins
145,000	Pounds New Zealand Rabbit Skins	19,000	Dyed Lamb Skins
4,800	Otter	25,000	Wombat
150,000	Nutria	15,000	Wallaby
1,300	Guanaco	3,200	Kangaroo
		450,000	White Hare

SATURDAY, May 22

550,000	Marmot	1,475	Swift Fox
65,000	Australian Red Fox	22,000	South American Fox
7,000	Macedonian Red Fox		

MONDAY, May 24

800,000	Muskrat	40,000	Muskrat, Black
240,000	Muskrat, Southern	60,000	Seal Dyed Muskrat
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TUESDAY, May 25

150,000	Fitch	2,250,000	Mole
		150,000	Kolinsky

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32,225	Dozen Conies (Sea Lions, Near Seals, Molines)	10,000	Flying Squirrels
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16,000	China Mink	1,800	Thibet Robes
80,000	Japanese Mink	5,000	Thibets
10,000	Japanese Fox	31,000	Barunduki
7,000	Japanese Marten	6,700	White Kid Skins
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THURSDAY, May 27

16,000	Grey Fox	175,000	Civet Cat
16,000	Ringtail Cat	70,000	Wolf

FRIDAY, May 28

15,000	Russian Ponies	150,000	Australian Ringtail Opossum
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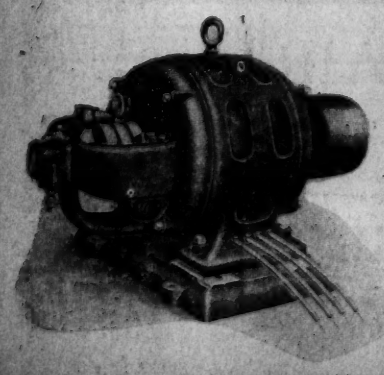

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11.30 ,, Veterans Race.
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No. 2702

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The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 92½ per cent until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls 1,000, Tls 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 mominal will be made except to depositers in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
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Council Room,
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No. 2715.

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(3) Applications, accompanied by payment in full, will be received by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, on and after May 1, up to and including June 30, 1920, the Council reserving to itself the right of closing the subscription lists on any day previous to June 30, 1920, by Notification in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai.

(4) Payment on application will be accepted in Silver (local currency) at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation's current selling T.T. rate on London and will bear interest from date of payment, or in Sterling by T.T. or Demand Draft on London. Interest on payments made in Sterling will only accrue from the date on which the relative remittances are received by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London.

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(5) The Loan will be redeemed at par on June 30, 1950, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on June 30, 1930, and/or on any subsequent date or dates on which the half-yearly interest is payable, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai. In the event of any partial redemption of the loan the numbers of the Debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing. The numbers of such drawn Debentures will be notified in the Municipal Gazette and Public Press of Shanghai not less than three months prior to the date of repayment.

Application forms can be obtained on and after May 1, from the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, No. 12 The Bund, or from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
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Shanghai, May 18th, 1920.

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W. S. JACKSON,
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Shanghai, 15th May, 1920.

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29613 M. 21

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29652 M. 20

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29624 M. 23

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29600 M. 19

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29648 M. 21

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29605 M. 19

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29610 M. 19

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29629 M. 20

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29643 M. 21

YOUNG man, aged 25, with thorough knowledge of English, German, Russian, desires position. Well acquainted with shipping, forwarding, and general office work. No objection to outports. Please apply to Box 828, THE CHINA PRESS.

29640 M. 20

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29609 M. 19

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29656 M. 21

FOR SALE, silver-plated cornet, Gold Bell, three changes of keys, with case, mute, and music-stand, American make, excellent condition. Price $95, or nearest offer. Apply to Box 833, THE CHINA PRESS.

29644 M. 20

FOR SALE, six-cylinder Columbia touring car, in excellent condition, newly overhauled, with full equipment and new winter top. Price moderate. Apply to 6 Nanyang Road.

29646 M. 21

FOR SALE, very comfortable houseboat with two cabins, four bunks, kitchen, cooking stove and W. C. Also motor tender for towing same. All ready for immediate use. Apply to Box 834, THE CHINA PRESS.

29645 M. 25

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29651 M. 22

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29641 M. 19

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M. 20

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29639 M. 20

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29638 M. 20

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Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

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Capital £2,000,000
Reserve Fund £3,000,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders £2,100,000

Head Office:
38 Bishopsgate, London, E. C.

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Sir Duncan Carmichael.
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The London Joint City & Midland Bank Limited.
The London County and Westminster and Parrs Bank, Ltd.
The National Provincial Bank of England, Limited.
The National Bank of Scotland, Limited.

Agencies and Branches:

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Bombay	Kobe	Seremban
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Colombo	Manila	Taiping
Delhi	Medan	(F. M. S.)
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Shanghai Branch 18 The Bund.

Drafts granted on the above Agencies and Branches and also on the principal Commercial Cities throughout the world. Bills of Exchange bought, Travelling Letters of Credit issued and every description of Banking and Exchange business undertaken.

Interest allowed on Current Deposit Accounts, according to arrangement.

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C. J. SCOTT.
Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Capital .... Frs. 48,000,000.00
Reserve .... Frs. 50,000,000.00

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Battambang	Hongkong	Shanghai
Canton	Mengtze	Singapore
Djibouti	Noumea	Tientsin
Doudichery	Peking	Tourane
Haiphong	Papoote	
Hankoou	Pnom-Penh	

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This Shanghai Agency undertakes all banking operations and exchange business, grants credits on goods and approved securities and receives deposits on current and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN.
Manager.

The Exchange Bank of China

SHANGHAI BRANCH
41 Kiangse Road.

Telephone C. 1941.
Telegraphic Address "Knabea."

Capital .....Yen 10,000,000

Head Office ..... Peking.
Registered in the Ministry of Finance.

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Foreign and Domestic Exchange Business a Specialty. We issue Demand Drafts, T/T. Letters of Credit, Buying and Selling Specie, etc., etc.

Foreign and Domestic Commercial Papers and Bills discounted.

Loans and Advances made on approved Securities.

Interest allowed on current accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

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Domestic Agencies at Tientsin, Kankow, Kiukiang, Tsingtao, Dairen, Changchun, Mukden, Foochow, Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong, Canton.

P. C. KONG.
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Paid-up Capital $15,000,000

Reserve Funds:—
Sterling £1,500,000
Silver $23,000,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors ... $15,000,000

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Court of Directors:
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Canton	London	Singapore
Colombo	Lyons	Sourabaya
Foochow	Malacca	Tientsin
Hankow	Manila	Tsingtao
Harbin	Nagasaki	Vladivostock
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	Peking	

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Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway.

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G. H. STITT,
Acting Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

	Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid) .	55,000,000
Reserve Fund	26,960,000
Capital Contributed by Chinese Government	Kup. Tls. 8,500,000
Reserve Fund	1,750,000

Head office: Petrograd.
Paris office: 9 Rue Boudreau.
London office: 64 Old Broad. Street, E. C. 2.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.
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S. JASTRZEMBSKI.
Managers for Branches in Asia.

The Bank Of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital $60,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital..$12,279,800.00
Reserve Fund ... $1,208,522.60
Special Reserve Fund $1,898,982.68

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifong	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dairy	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
3 Hankow Road.

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interests allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

Sung Han-chang,
Manager.

Shanghai, 15th February, 1919.

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Societe Anonyme
Filiale de la Societe Generale de Belgique
(THE BELGIAN BANK)

Paid-up Capital .. Fr. 50,000,000
Reserves ..... Fr. 12,027,956

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JEAN JADOT
Gouverneur de la Ste Gle de Belgique

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Interest allowed on Current Accounts in gold or local currency and fixed deposits according to arrangements.

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L. STRAETMANS,
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
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Deposits of not less than $1, or over $100, will be received at one time.

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Capital paid up £850,000

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Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

C. C. WONG,
Act. Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Paid-Up Capital ...$1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund 435,461.90
Head Office: Shanghai
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
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Hankow	Singapore
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Canton	Dominican Republic
Manchuria	Santo Domingo
Harbin	San Pedro de Macoris
India	Sanchez
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H. C. GULLAND, *Manager* in Kiukiang Road.

The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1908

Capital $1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund $1,425.61
Resources 10,000,000.00

Head Office & Branches; Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimon, and Lanchi.

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Foreign Correspondents; London, New York, Amsterdam, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodata, Seoul, and Fusan.

Every description of Banking and Exchange transacted.

Drafts issued and telegraph transfers effected.

Commercial Credits established.

Loans and Credits granted on approved securities.

Interests allowed on Current and Fixed Deposits in Pounds Sterling, Gold Dollars, Guilders, Yen, Taels and Dollars according to arrangements.

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LI MING, Manager.
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CABLE ADDRESS:
"CHINDUSBANK."

BANK OF COMMUNICATIONS

Specially authorised by Presidental Mandates of April 7th, 1914, and October 31, 1915.

Capital: Kuping Taels 10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
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SHANGHAI BRANCH
14 The Bund.

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Y. M. CHIEN Acting Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(Netherlands Trading Society.)
Established 1824.

Paid-up Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 14,590,545 (about £1,215,879)
Special Reserves: Guilders 17,000,000 (about £1,416,666)

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Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
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Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

B. G. J. WYNBERG.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital ...	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.

On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

L. G. MARSHALL.
Chief Manager.

The Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.

Subscribed Capital .. £1,500,000
Paid up Capital 750,000
Reserve Fund 750,000

Head Office, 15 Gracechurch Street, London, E. C. 3.

London Bankers:
BANK OF ENGLAND
London Joint City and Midland Bank, Ltd.

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Delhi	Karachi	Port Louis
Galle	Kota Bahru	(Mauritius)
Hongkong	(Kelantan)	Rangoon
	Kuala Lumpur	Shanghai
		Singapore

Shanghai Branch.
26 THE BUND
VERY description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Teal Current Accounts at 3 % per annum and Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained on application.

C. CHAMPKIN, Manager.

Banque Industrielle de Chine

Capital authorised Frs. 250,000,000
Capital subscribed „ 150,000,000
Capital paid up.... „ 75,000,000
Reserve ..... „ 30,000,000

One third of the Capital i. e. Frs. 50,000,000 subscribed by
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC

Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11th, 1913.

President: Andre Berthelot
General Manager: A. J. Perrotti

HEAD OFFICE:
74 Rue Saint Lazare, Paris

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LI TSE FONG,
Manager.

Provisions Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on May 18, 1920.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	14-20
Mutton	„	16-20
Pork	„	26-30
Veal	„	25-30
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	18-20
Cod	„	14-16
Mandarin	„	30-40
Mackerel	„	18-20
Pomfret	„	18-20
Salmon	„	none
Samli	„	40-60
Soles	„	14-16
Whitebait	„	12-14
Game, Poultry And Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Duck	each	60-80
Hare	„	none
Eggs	per doz.	16-17
Fowl	per lb.	22-24
Geese	each	$0-$1.00
Partridge	„	none
Pheasant	„	none
Pigeons	„	18-20
Quail	„	none
Snipe	„	16-18
Teal	„	14-16
Turkey	per lb.	45-50
Woodcock	each	40-45
Wild Duck	„	none
Wild Geese	„	none
Wild Pigeons	„	none
Plover	each	10-15
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	„	20-25
Bananas	„	10-12
Cherries	„	20-25
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Lemons	each	5-7
Lichees	per lb.	none
Mangoes	each	15-20
Oranges	per lb.	15-20
Peaches	„	none
Pears	„	14-16
Persimmons	„	none
Peeboes	„	10-12
Plums	„	8-10
Pumeloes	each	20-25
Pineapples	„	10-12
Strawberries	per lb.	40-60
Walnuts	per lb.	none
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	4-5
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Broad Beans	per lb.	4-5
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	6-8
Cabbage	each	5-10
Carrots	per bunch	3-4
Cauliflower	each	16-20
Celery	per bunch	8-10
Egg Plant	per lb.	8-10
French Beans	„	16-20
Green Corn	each	none
Leeks	per bunch	2-3
Mushrooms	per lb.	40-50
Onions	„	3-4
Parsnips	per bunch	6-8
Peas	per lb.	5-6
Potatoes	per picul	$4.00-4.50
Spinach	per lb.	2-3
Tomatoes	„	6-8
Turnips	per bunch	1-2
Grain And Flour		
Flour, American	50 lbs.	$4.50
Flour, Australian	„	$4.00
Flour, Shanghai	„	$2.50
Rice	200 lb.	9.60
Milk		
Foreign dairies	per bottle	25
Chinese dairies	„	15
Fuel		
House Coal	per ton	Tls. 17.50
Stove Coal	„	Tls. 22.00
Firewood	per 50 bundles	$1.00
Laundry		
Per 100 articles		$3.00-$4.00

E. Kilner,
Chief Inspector.

Mail Notices

MAILS CLOSE
For U.S., Canada and Europe:
Per P.M. s.s. Venezuela May 22.
Per C.M. s.s. China May 26
For Europe
Per P. and O. s.s. Novara May 21
For Australia, etc
Per B. and S. s.s. Sinkiang May 20
For Japan
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Kumano M. May 19

MAILS DUE
From U.S. and Canada
Per C.P.O.S. s.s. E. of Asia May 22
From Europe
Per P. and O. s.s. Nellore May 20
From Japan
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Yawata Maru May 19

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST
Yesterday's Prices

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	$565 B.
Chartered	£80
Russo-Asiatic	Rs. 250
Marine Insurances	
Canton	Tls. 445
North China	Tls. 160
Union of Canton	Hk. 180
Yangtsze	$265
Far Eastern Ins. Co., Ltd.	Tls. 20
Fire Insurances.	
China Fire	$188
Hongkong Fire	$300 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	$210 B.
Indo-China Pref.	$20
"Shell"	210/–B.
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 55 S.
Shanghai Tug pref	Tls. 84½ B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 18.65
Oriental Cons.	17/–
Raub	$1
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	Tls. 152 B.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 133½
New Eng. Works	Tls. 27
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 140
Hongkong Wharf	Tls. 86 S.
Lands and Hotels	
Anglo-French Land	Tls. 68 B.
China Land	Tls. 50
Shanghai Land	Tls. 61 B.
Weihaiwei Land	Tls. 3
S'hai Hotels Ltd.	Tls. 80 B.
China Realty (ord.)	Tls. 68
China Realty (pref)	Tls. 50
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.) Tls.	Tls. 700
E-wo Pref	Tls. 77½
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 400
Oriental	Tls. 305
Shanghai Cotton	Tls. 400
Kungyik	Tls. 70
Yangtszepoo	Tls. 45
Yangtsepoo Pref.	Tls. 75
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	Tls. 227 B.
Green Island	Tls. 6.90 B.
Langkats	Tls. 17½
Major Bros	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 75 B.
Stores	
Hall & Holtz	Tls. 12¼
Llewellyn	$86
Lane, Crawford	Tls. 88
Moutrie	$32
Watson	Tls. 6.10 S.
Weeks	Tls. 11
Rubbers (Local)	
Alma	Tls. 6½
Amherst	Tls. 0.50
Anglo-Java	Tls. 8 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 3½ B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 19
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 0.65 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 1.80
Bute	Tls. 0.50 B.
Chemor United	Tls. 0.85
Chempedak	Tls. 5
Cheng	Tls. 1½
Consolidated	Tls. 2½
Dominion	Tls. 5.60
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 5.10
Java Consolidated	Tls. 12½
Kamunting	Tls. 4 B.
Kapala	Tls. 0.60
Kapayang	Tls. 0¾ B.
Karan	Tls. 8.10
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 3½ B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 11 S.
Padang	Tls. 7
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 2½ B.
Permata	Tls. 1 B.
Repah	Tls. 0.55 B.
Samagaga	Tls. 0.60 B.
Seekee	Tls. 1
Semambu	Tls. 0.75
Senawang	Tls. 5
Shanghai Klebang	Tls. 0.55
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 3 B.
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 10
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1 B.
Sungala	Tls. 6 B.
Sungei-Duri	Tls. 3 B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 0.50
S'hai-Kelantan	Tls. 0.60
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 1.10
Taiping	Tls. 0.65
Tanah Merah	Tls. 14 B.
Tebong	Tls. 2½
Ulobri	Tls. 4½ B.
Ziangbe	
Miscellaneous	
C. I & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Cuity Dairy	Tls. 12
Shanghai Trams	Tls. 60
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 14 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 34
Shanghai Mercury	Tls. 25
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 74
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 102 B.

B. Sellers. Ba. Sales. B. Buyers.

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Shanghai Produce & Stock Exchange
Transactions

Shanghai, May 18, 1920.

LOCAL YARN:

Local Yarn for Standard: 16's.
Tls. 160.00 May
Tls. 162.00 June
Tls. 162.50 July
Tls. 164.00 August

Local Yarn for Standard: 20's.
Tls. 185.00 May
Tls. 186.00 June
Tls. 186.00 July
Tls. 186.00 August

Water-Moon 16/20's.
Tls. 176.50 May
Tls. 175.30 June

Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, May 18, 1920.

Money and Bullion

Sovereigns: buying rate,
@ 5/9 = Tls. 3.48
@ exch. 73.6 = Mex. $4.73

Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate,
@ 110¼ = Tls. 0.91
@ 73.6 = Mex. $1.23

Mex. Dollars; Market Rate: 73.3

Shanghai Gold Bars: 978 touch
Tls. 205

Bar Silver 998 touch ... Tls. 111
Copper Cash ... per tael 187.700
Native Interest ... Tls. 11

Latest London Quotations

Bar Silver ... 58½d.
Bank Rate of Discount: ... 7%
Ex., Paris on London .. Fr. 58.29
Ex., New York on London T.T. G.$3.83

Exchange Opening Quotations

London	T.T.	5/9
London	Demand	5/9¼
India	T.T.	271
Paris	T.T.	1665
Paris	Demand	1668
New York	T.T.	110
New York	Demand	110¼
Hongkong	T.T.	72¼
Japan	T.T.	46¼
Batavia	T.T.	290
Singapore	T.T.	40¼

All Nominal

Bank's Buying Rates

London	Demand	5/11½
London	4 m/s. Cdts.	6/1½
London	4 m/s. Docy.	6/1¾
London	6 m/s. Cdts.	6/2¾
London	6 m/s. Docy.	6/3
Paris	4 m/s.	1815
New York	o/d. Docy.	114
New York	4 m/s. Docy.	120¾

Tourists' Exchange

@ Bank's Closing Demand Buying Rates

£10 @ exch. 6/0½ = Sh. Tls. 33.10
G.$50 @ exch. 115 = Sh. Tls. 43.48
Fr. 250 @ exch. 1770 = Sh. Tls. 14.12

1 Shanghai Tael = Mex. $1.36 at Bank's selling rate for Mexican Dollars.

BANKS SELLING RATE FOR MARKS

Marks 4,300 ... = Tls. 100
" 100 ... = Mex. $3.19

ROUBLES EXCHANGE

Today's Bank Buying Rate

For Roubles

Roubles 20,000 ... = Tls. 100
" 100 ... = Mex. $0.68
Norminal

Exchange Shop Rates

Buying:	100 Old Roubles	$1.35
"	100 New "	$ .70
Selling:	100 Old "	$1.45
"	100 New "	$ .80

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR MAY

Hk. Tls.	2.86	@ 6/3¼	£1
"	1	@ 2033	Fr. 22.65
"	0.75	@ 120¼	Gold $1
"	1	@ 41¼	Yen. 2.70
"	1	@ 273½	Rs. 3.05
"	1	@ 1.50	Mex. $1.50
"	1	@ —	Roubles —

Stock Exchange
Transactions

Shanghai, May 18, 1920.

OFFICIAL

H. & S. Bank $575.00
S.M.C. 6% Debs 1916 Tls. 76.00
Anglo Dutch Tls. 3.50
Samagagas Tls. 0 60
Shanghai Land Tls. 62 00
Trams "B" Tls. 69.00
Shanghai & Hongkew Wharves Tls. 156.00 June
Tanah Merah Tls. 0.65
Consolidated Tls. 2.00

UNOFFICIAL

Telephones Tls. 74.00
Kroewoeks Tls. 10.50

Taiping Rubber Estates Pays 8 Percent Dividend

A dividend of 8 percent was declared for the year 1919 at the seventh annual general meeting of shareholders of the Taiping Rubber Estates Ltd. held yesterday at the offices of the general managers, Messrs. Hopkins, Dunn and Co.

Mr. B. A. Clarke presided at the meeting and the other directors present were Messrs. J. Forst and E. S. Kadoorie. The total number of shares represented was 70,023.

The secretary having read the notice convening the meeting and the auditors report, the chairman said:

Gentlemen.—The report and accounts were posted to you on the 18th inst. and I will with your permission take them as read, and as the manager's report gives very full details of all matters of interest connected with your estate there is little for me to say in that respect.

You will notice by comparing last year's report with the one under review that there are now 7,000 trees less on the estate. Experience has taught us that trees were originally planted too closely together, as they became well matured there was not sufficient room for expansion, and in consequence they became more liable to attack by various diseases peculiar to rubber trees—hence the necessity of thinning out. Up to date 10,000 trees have been taken out, and 3,000 planted. This is only an apparent loss, for really by giving the trees more ground space the extra flow of latex will in future more than make good the present loss of output.

The manager's estimated output for 1919 was 160,000 lbs. but it only realised 134,938 lbs. As you will see from his report this was brought about by various causes, viz. shortage of labor, change of tapping to the one cut system, the previous method tending too much to wounding, in consequence of which 6,000 old trees had to be given a rest, taking an average of 3 lbs. of rubber per tree, this represents a loss of 18,000 lbs. Altogether it may be said that the past year has not been a fortunate one for us, but I hope we are over our troubles now and that we may anticipate a better showing from now on. I may add that we have just received news from our representative who has visited the estate, and he reports great improvement and everything looking well.

The estimated output for 1920 is 140,000 lbs. The average price received on all grades was 1s. 9½d. per lb.

COST OF PRODUCTION

The "all-in-cost" is shown at 2s. per lb. This arose from various causes, one of them being a falling off in the yield of lbs. 17,000 compared with the previous year, while the running expenses remained practically the same—add to the item loss on exchange of Tls. 9,728, which of course had to be added to the ordinary expenditure when estimating the "all-in-cost." If it would do any good, I could cut this amount off the total expenditure and thus show the "all-in-cost" to be little more than previously, but it is a factor that must be looked in the face, and I should only be leading you astray were I to attempt, to dodge it.

Turning to the profit and loss account you will find that we brought forward from 1918 Tls. 22,431.93, while the balance at December 31, 1919 was Tls. 18,596.41, which means that we made a loss on the year's working of Tls. 3,835.52. This was brought about solely by the loss on exchange.

The one pleasant thing I have to say is that after all we shall not lose the exchange amount shown in the profit and loss account, and for this reason, the stock of unsold rubber and bank balance together totalled S.$100,730, this amount was converted to taels at the rate of 30 ruling on December 31. Your directors however thought there might be an improvement later on so instead of at once transferring the amount required here to pay the dividend and creditors, viz: Tls. 28,195.00, they decided to wait awhile, with the following result:

Transferred
Tls. 15,000 @ Ex. 34 S.$44,120
Transferred
Tls. 7,850 @ Ex. 39½ S.$20,000

giving a total of
Tls. 22,850 S.$64,120

This S.$64,120, represents in the balance sheet Tls. 19,236.00, so that up to the present we have recovered from exchange Tls. 3,514, and with the balance still remaining to be transferred we have every hope of turning the loss on the year's working into a profit, which I am sure, you will agree is very satisfactory.

That, gentlemen, is all I have to say relative to your estate, but if any shareholder has any questions to ask I shall be pleased to answer to the best of my ability.

RESOLUTIONS

No questions were asked, and the following resolutions were put forward and unanimously adopted:

"That the report and statement of the company's accounts for the period ended December 31, 1919, as presented to the meeting, be approved and passed." Proposed by Mr. B. A. Clarke, seconded by Mr. E. S. Kadoorie.

"That a dividend of 8 candareens per share equal to 8 percent be paid to shareholders." Proposed by Mr. B. A. Kadoorie, seconded by Mr. J. Frost.

"That Mr. B. A. Clarke be re-elected a director of the company for the ensuing year." Proposed by Mr. Frost, seconded by Mr. E. S. Kadoorie.

"That Messrs. G. H. and N. Thomson be re-elected auditors of the company for the ensuing year at an annual fee of Tls. 250.00." Proposed by Mr. J. Nathan, seconded by Mr. D. H. Read.

"That in accordance with paragraph 55 of the company's articles of association the next annual general meeting shall be held in either the months of March, April or May, 1921." Proposed by Mr. B. A. Clarke, seconded by Mr. J. Frost.

Repah Rubber And Tapioca Estates Has Annual Meeting

The seventh annual general meeting of the Repah Rubber and Tapioca Estates, Ltd., was held at the offices of the general managers, Messrs. Hopkins, Dunn and Co. yesterday afternoon at which were present Messrs. B. A. Clarke, (chairman), E. S. Kadoorie, G. Grayrigge, and other shareholders, representing in all 118,075 shares.

The notice convening the meeting was read by the secretary, as well as the auditors' report, after which the chairman said:

CHAIRMAN'S SPEECH

Gentlemen: The report and accounts were posted to shareholders on the 11th instant and I will therefore with your permission take them as read. The manager's report on the estate gives you full details under the usual headings. We have now 1,370 acres fully planted up with 170,000 trees. The highest number of trees tapped during the year was 74,800 from which you will see that less than half the estate is at the producing stage. The new area of 340 acres, of which 240 acres were planted in 1917 and 100 acres in 1918, is reported by the manager to be coming on well. The total cost of this additional area to date is Taels 24,092.

The quantity of rubber harvested for 1919 was 222,176 lbs. against an estimate of 240,000 lbs. the decrease as you will see from the manager's report being due to abnormal morning rains and shortage of good tapping coolies.

The estimate for the current year is 240,000 lbs.

Cost of tapping shows a reduction on the previous year of half a cent per lb.

All in cost remains the same as 1918, viz: 1/3½ per lb. this however is not a true comparison for the reason that of the gross expenses—"over and above cost of the new area"—there was charged to development account in 1918 Tls. 10,235.78 whereas for 1919 the amount charged was only Tls. 2,565.87 or in other words "all-in-cost" had to bear for 1919 an additional charge of nearly Tls. 8,000 and yet remained the same as before. This bears out what I said last year that no true "all-in-cost" figure can be found until both income and expenditure apply to the same area.

AVERAGE PRICE

The average price realised per lb. of rubber was 1/9¼ per lb. against 1/2¾ per lb. for 1918 the increase being due to the rise in prices for the last four months of the year. During that period we made sufficient profit to liquidate a loan of Straits $30,000 which had been used for opening up our new area.

Turning to the balance sheet there are the items under liabilities: These show a total indebtedness of Taels 41,451.04 from which must be deducted the liquid assets, rubber stock, sundry drs. and rice stock amounting to Tls. 13,655.74 leaving a net liability against the company of Tls. 27,795.30 as against Tls. 36,601.42 at Dec. 31, 1918 and your Directors hope that this amount may be paid off by the end of the current year.

The balance of revenue account amounting to Tls. 21,315.80 your Directors propose writing off as follows:

	Tls.
Development account	17,465.80
Buildings	3,084.35
Cattle and Carts	316.25
Motor Car	449.40
	Tls. 21,315.80

During the year Mr. W. S. Jackson retired from the board owing to pressure of business which he found prevented him giving the necessary time to the affairs of the estate, and we much regret his leaving us as he had been associated with the company since its inception. Mr. G. Grayrigge was invited by the board to fill the vacancy and his appointment needs your confirmation.

Gentlemen, I think this is all I have to say, but should any shareholders have any questions to ask, I shall be pleased to answer them to the best of my ability.

RESOLUTIONS

No questions being asked, the following resolutions were put and adopted:

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"That Mr. G. Grayrigge be appointed a director of the company." Proposed by Mr. B. A. Clarke, seconded by Mr. E. S. Kadoorie.

"That Mr. E. S. Kadoorie be re-elected a director of the company for the ensuing year." Proposed by Mr. B. A. Clarke, seconded by Mr. G. Grayrigge.

"That Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews be re-elected auditors of the company for the ensuing year at an annual fee of Tls. 250.00." Proposed by Mr. Y. Ayat, seconded by Mr. Han Yung-keng.

Rubber Outputs

	March	April
Alma	20,700	24,000
Amherst	3,297	3,703
Anglo-Dutch	99,000	89,000
Anglo-Java	212,400	204,700
Ayer Tawah	32,170	29,167
Batu Anam	23,566	21,789
Bukit Toh-Alang	9,000	13,000
Bute	17,800	14,500
Chempedak	10,000	12,500
Chemor	24,918	19,822
Cheng	13,025	14,370
Consolidated	—	49,796
Dominion	37,500	33,580
Gula Kalumpong	120,000	117,000
Java Consolidated	84,200	80,100
Kamunting	—	23,096
Kapala	9,592	10,355
Kapayang	—	—
Karan	—	7,500
Kota Bahroe	39,580	36,095
Kroewoek	57,500	55,000
Langkat	57,430	49,546
Padang	—	15,393
Permata	5,538	5,894
Pengkalan	—	10,216
Repah	13,000	13,000
Samagaga	—	18,000
Semambu	17,006	17,158
Senawang	15,302	11,870
See Kee	—	—
Shanghai-Seremban	13,637	9,771
Shanghai-Kelantan	17,800	14,000
Shanghai-Pahang	19,620	17,434
Shanghai-Klebang	10,662	8,675
Shanghai-Sumatra	58,450	41,640
Sua Manggis	—	—
Sungala	7,360	6,035
Sungei Duri	27,123	25,417
Taiping	9,510	8,545
Tanah Merah	21,600	23,100
Tebong	75,000	70,000
Ulobri	5,725	5,134
Ziangbe	69,500	66,200

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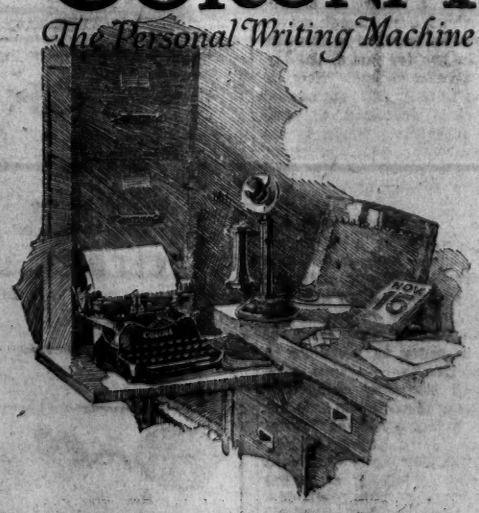
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WEATHER

Fine and hot weather, variable tomorrow. Moderate Easterly breezes in the North. Light and variable winds in the South.

America And The Treaty

THE Republican majority in the Senate and House of the American Congress, assisted by a scattering few Democrats, evidently is determined to make a separate peace with Germany. On April 9, the House by a vote of 242 to 150 adopted a resolution to this effect. And on May 16 the Senate adopted the Knox resolution, which has a similar end in view, by a vote of 43 to 35.

The Republicans however are still a long way from their goal. They have not been able to muster in either house the two-thirds vote which will be necessary to pass the resolution over the President's certain veto. It is therefore practically sure, that the whole fight over the League Covenant and the Treaty will go before the people in the Presidential campaign.

The immediate situation is that the Senate has rejected the House resolution and substituted the Knox resolution, which now goes to joint conference between the two houses. The likelihood is that within a week or ten days the joint resolution will be passed by a vote which will be something short of the required two-thirds majority; it will then go to the President and he will veto it. After that the probability is nothing further will be attempted until after the people have made their will known by their votes next November.

The Knox resolution, according to a Reuter's cable of May 6, argues that Congress is equally entitled to rescind as to declare war, and declares that President Wilson is trying to coerce the Senate into ratifying the Treaty by maintaining that the United States is still technically at war, but, the Senate asserts, peace was made for America when Germany and the Allies ratified the Treaty.

Senator Knox condemns the League of Nations in its present form and urges as an alternative a modification of international law, the establishment of an international court of justice and the "outlawry of war." He suggests a separate Peace Treaty with Germany, "providing for reciprocal rights and obligations between the United States and that country alone."

Against this contention President Wilson stands just where he has stood from the beginning. He is for the Covenant and the Treaty as they were originally drafted at the Versailles conference. He is opposed to any change in either. While he was not satisfied with them and said so in the plainest terms, he also told Congress that they were the best, considering the state of demoralisation to which Europe had been reduced by the war, that could be obtained. And he added that they at least provided the groundwork upon which a real peace and a real League of Nations could be built.

And, if the President had not collapsed when half way through his meteoric, speech-making sweep across the country last September in behalf of the League and the Treaty, he might have made his will prevail. He might have forced the Senate to accept his terms. His illness, however, gave the Lodge contingent the opportunity it needed. Wilson's voice was silent and there was no one on his side big enough and vigorous enough to carry on for him. And during the long and bitter fight that followed in the Senate, the opponents of the Treaty gradually gained the upper hand and turned the tide of public opinion. The country probably still favors the League and the Treaty but it also favors reservations, which in the President's opinion will stultify and defeat the objects sought to be secured.

The change in American sentiment has been gradual but it has been none the less sure. And this change has been something of a puzzle to many European observers. They cannot understand how, after going into the war with high purpose and with all our might, we can, suddenly to them, become indifferent to the fate of Europe and exhibit a distinct aversion to European commitments of any sort.

The causes of this change however, will be clear to any one who will take the trouble to study the early history of America and combine with it a knowledge of the experiences she has just gone through at the hands of European diplomacy. America went into the war to make the world safe for democracy and to make it safe by using President Wilson's Fourteen Points as a working basis. Why not? All the Allies had accepted the Fourteen Points as a working basis and so had the Central Powers. The President himself went to Europe full of hope for a settlement on the basis of the Fourteen Points.

Well, America asks, what became of the Fourteen points? The answer is that they got lost in the shuffle. And what became of the beautiful idea about making the world safe for democracy? What part of the old world is safe for democracy or anything else?

Yet America threw her men, her money and her brains and energy into the war for precisely these things. And when President Wilson came back from Europe he did not have them and frankly admitted that he did not. After thinking all this over, the hard thought began to sweep over the country something along this line: "Well, anyway, those were the things we fought for and they were right things; and we asked nothing else. And now if Europe wont agree to them, but insists on reverting to the old secret diplomacy and the old balance of power idea, well—all right! We'll pull our soldiers out and go back to our plows and our knitting. And Europe can settle her own affairs in her own way."

But this it appears is just what Europe doesn't want. Europe wants America's material help but not America's spiritual help; and Europe is not even agreed on what form America's material assistance should take. The world crisis is not due to America's refusal to enter the world confederation that is proposed; it is due to the blindness of European statesmen who insist upon a return to the methods of diplomacy which produced the world war and which the whole of civilised mankind now holds in utter abhorrence.

Almost the first thing that President Wilson encountered at Paris was the secret agreement which gave Shantung to Japan. The whole Fourteen Points went smash right there. And the Fourteen Points be it remembered contained in themselves a complete indictment and repudiation of old world diplomacy. If there was to be a new order, what became of it? America entered the war on her own motion to fight for the Fourteen Points; she entered it with obligations to no nation and with commitments to none and she kept a free hand throughout. And when at the end European diplomacy torpedoed the Fourteen Points, America at first didn't believe it and took indeed a long time to realise what had happened. When she did come to understand she was slow in getting to the next step. It was only by degrees that it dawned on her that the time had come for her to take her hat and go home. She has not agreed with herself on that point yet. That question is being debated now.

Europe wants America to sit in the world game with her. America until recently has always refused to do this, and now after one soul-searing experience, she is showing distinct evidence of a desire to consider that once as all-sufficing. One thing appears to us to be certain: whether or not America sits in the game again, she will eventually pull out unless the European system is changed. The people of the United States will never consent to become slaves of the system which has brought Europe to her present plight.

What will the world know about the new Anglo-Japanese Alliance, which so vitally affects America, Canada, Australia and China, until it is *fait accompli*?

The Lure Of Loneliness

Not Money, But Solitude Is The Charm Of A Job For Which Scores Apply Annually

Wanted.—A man to live alone on an island (inland lake), eight miles from shore; transportation, food, clothing, shelter, boat, etc., furnished; no work; no compensation. Summertime, 600 Tribune Building, New York.

Every Easter Sunday for the last fifteen years this advertisement has appeared in "Help Wanted" columns, says a New York Exchange. Every year hundreds of men, and occasionally a woman, have made application for the job.

Many of those who have answered and received no reply have formed the opinion that the whole thing is a practical joke, played by an individual who is collecting data of the different kinds of people who react in the same manner to the same impulse—or something like that. Investigation, however, proved that there was in truth a man who offered precisely the sort of position he described and that it has been filled satisfactorily during the Summer months for fifteen years. The man is the Director of a large, well-known dry goods house in New York. He has a home in the Adirondacks near a vast lake with four little islands in the center of it. Every year a colony of arctic or burgomaster seagulls alights on these islands and stays there during the Summer months. In order to protect the eggs and the young, a man is annually hired to live on one of the islands. He has no duty other than the patrolling of the shore and the bird haunts. He goes early in May when the birds begin to arrive and leaves after they do. In no case is it necessary for him to stay longer than October 1.

There is a humorous angle to the situation, an angle that gives truth to the trite saying that distance lends enchantment. When the advisability of getting a man to look after these birds first formulated itself in the mind of the man who has made himself their friend, he decided he could hire one of the men in the neighboring community for the task. He broached the subject to some of them and offered to pay $30 a month, with food and shelter as described in the advertisement. Thirty dollars a month at that time meant a good deal more than it does today. Nevertheless, he could find nobody to whom the idea of living a solitary life on a lake island made any appeal.

LONGING OF THE CITY-BRED

Knowing human nature intimately—he employs hundreds of men and women—he decided to insert an advertisement in the New York papers, tell briefly what was expected and make no offer of compensation other than food, clothing and shelter. The response was stupendous. Immediately letters began pouring in by the score from men in every walk of life asking that they be allowed to go off into the solitudes. The Bowery bum applied and said that he wanted nothing but the woods and the waters; the youth whose love had been unrequited made a similar request; the man whose aim was to arrive at the topmost rung of the ladder of literary success was certain that the advertisement had been inserted as a godsend from heaven.

Out of the hundreds that applied, one was finally chosen. Among the fifteen who have worked there in the Summer months are a well-known naturalist, an Attorney General of a neighboring State, and a man named Daniel Boone, who is a direct descendant of the pioneer who bore that name. In almost every case the men asked to be allowed to return the following year, but the rules laid down by the man who has interested himself in this work are against this. He does not want the keeper of the birds to grow acquainted with the people in the neighboring community, as he might if he returned to the same place year after year. It is not the men that interest him; it is the preservation of this species of seagulls, which are, he states, the largest of their kind, having a spread of wings of five feet. Their contribution to humanity is the scavenger duty they perform. It is estimated that they eat two pounds of offal a day.

Human nature does not change. The letters that are coming in this year are pretty much the same as those that have come in during the last fourteen years. Chief among the types of men who apply are would-be writers. All of them are certain that the isolation will help their style. One of them writes:

"To one so fond of unusual propositions as I, yours appealed to me as delightfully enticing, and having been subjected to spasms of solitude, I do not consider your idea fallacious.

"Unless you can offer me something distinctly out of the ordinary I see not how you can interest me. I should not be tempted, for instance, to become a watchman unless the compensation lured me. But I fear little to be subject of psychological observation or sociological experimentation.

"I am primarily an adventure hunter, and while you may opine that your prescribed existence of absolute isolation would be void of much action, I am inclined to entertain contentions to the contrary. However, I usually manage to make my experiments pay me and your plan would lose all its charm if it were to be entirely without some monetary remuneration. So you have in me a person eager to dare the strange, providing efforts will be appropriately appreciated, and one willing to grant a personal interview to both further explain and learn particulars."

ESCAPING THE LANDLORD

A less adventurous wight with a kindly sense of humor asks nothing of the island but a place to escape his landlord and boarding house mistress.

"Since my school days," he writes, "I have been tailor, poet, bank clerk, soldier, wanderer and common drudge with the same lack of success. I flatter myself that I am pursuing a literary career. Still neither the good fortune nor means have ever been mine to devote my entire time to writing, and I long for such an opportunity. I am not in search of adventure, and romance is surely mental. What I crave is a place to live in peace—to forget for a time the over-anxious landlord and ever-prompt boarding house mistress." And so on, in the same strain.

Still another writes: "I have seen life in all its phases, therefore if it is expedient I shall consider your offer before I am taken up with some other work, as I am a general and spontaneous writer. Just now I am observing. If it is convenient," he adds naively, "you may call at this address, as I am in the course of writing and observing literary work."

"I am a playwright, or at least I want to be one, but so far have had only short stories accepted," writes a fourth. "I have hopes of getting a play up next Winter." It later develops that the author of this letter is a mechanical engineer for half the year, the second half of which he spends in writing.

The following is a letter from a man suffering the effects of unrequited love. "Your very interesting 'ad,'" he says, "seems to offer the paradise of which I have dreamed. I am suffering from a serious complication of troubles, consequent upon unrequited love and financial embarrassment. After three and a half years' overseas service, first as a private, later as a First Lieutenant, your offer sounds like heaven to me. If there be no taboo against a pipe, a few books, a dog and freedom of thought in re fair sex, I think I am the man you are looking for."

In classifying the letters it was found that not a few of them came from men who are in the service. Their letters have a peculiar, refreshing, straight-from-the-shoulder tang. A Captain in the Ordnance Department writes: "If I have doped this 'ad' out right, this job will suit me to a t. I am a Captain in the army, but have a long leave coming to me this Summer. Am a design and experimental engineer, know the woods and the water; am physically very fit, and my large Government pay is not quite sufficient to support me in the marts of men on said leave. Permission would be asked to bring along about 800 books."

A boy in the aero squadron, in replying to the advertisement, meticulously observes all the rules of military correspondence. He starts out with the three regulation leads: From, To, Subject. His annotation of the last is interesting. It is: "Subject: All alone on your island."

Some of the letters written show that the applicant is hard up for work and is in a state where he will take any sort of work, provided that he gets some compensation. The majority of these communications show a highly unconventional regard for rules of diction and grammar. "To whom it may concern" heads one of these letters. The rest of the note is in one sentence:

"I would like to know whether or not you have a man to stay on that Island for the summer if not will you let me know and also let me know when you would like me to see you and what you mean buy no commission as I took it for no pay then some one told me it means if you get hurt you don't get no money so I took it in my head to find out so will kindly let me know if your got a man or not I am (21) years of age this is all hoping to hear an answer soon."

There are other letters, hundreds of them, from artists, from newspapermen, from ex-army men, from clerks, from invalids and so on through the whole gamut of human types, professions and trades. According to the man who must choose one from among all that mountain of information, the choice is not easy.

As a rule an elderly man is picked. An unfortunate experience with a young man who grew lonely after a few days stay at the island led to the formation of that rule.

Cost Of A Jaunt To Europe

Anticipatory Pleasure Of The Tourist In Figuring On Exchange Rates And Prices

(New York Times)

With the steamship companies hustling to put every available ship on the transatlantic run for reaping a golden harvest from Americans filled with hopes of a Summer vacation in Europe after six years of war and travel restrictions, the big question in many a home is how to estimate the probable cost of a tour abroad. Foreign exchange quotations are being studied as never before; penciled translations of vacation dollars into pounds, francs and lire fill many a sheet of paper, and while away many a daylight saving evening.

Everybody wants to go. That assertion covers the situation—one can't make exact estimates of the numbers who will cross the ocean this year.

Already, though it is early in the tourist season, ships are leaving with every berth filled. The steamship men say that in another two months it will be impossible to care for the traffic with existing facilities. The elimination of the two big German lines, whose ships, with few exceptions, will not be available for this year's business; the sinking of many big liners, which have not been replaced, the slower speed, due to coal shortage, and the greater time necessary at terminal ports all tend to emphasise the crowding.

An examination of current prices in France should enable the prospective traveler to sum up his financial needs, and not get fooled with the idea that, because exchange is three times normal, it will be cheaper to go abroad than to stay at home.

The first smash to hopes of beating the high cost of living by emigrating will be met at the steamship offices. Cabin rates have gone up about 100 percent. The one-class cabin steamers which used to transport you, feed you and sleep you for ten days for $55 now went $100 for the same service, and this is about the minimum. Pre-war $100 ships are asking $175. The big four-funneled fliers which used to ask $125 as a base price now want $237. Cabins with baths will not be obtainable at much under $400. The old-time payment of $10 or so more for the assurance that you would have the stateroom to yourself is entirely done away with. Privacy involves buying at full rates every berth in the cabin.

Steamship tips have become involved in a bull movement. Ten francs to the table steward, 10 to the cabin steward, and 5 to the bath man have been revised upward until it is customary to give 50 francs each to the dining room and stateroom stewards, and at least 10 francs to the bath attendant. Women traveling alone, it is asserted, do not seem to be quite so generous and stick to the old-time tip of 20 francs to the stewardess. The 5 francs that the deck steward expected has risen to 10; if meals are taken on deck 20 francs is a usual tip.

Immediately after your arrival in France the French Government starts to take toll by charging nearly 90 francs for a first-class ticket from Havre to Paris instead of the pre-war 35. The percentage of raise of prices eases off a little when Paris is reached, and only the advantage in exchange rates saves the day. Living, instead of being triple, is only about double. Rooms that used to cost 10 francs will now cost 20. A room with a bath instead of being 15 will be 30. Pension prices at the smaller hotels and boarding houses have also advanced sharply. Whereas formerly you could obtain a nice room and board for 15 francs, it will now take double that to get the same accommodations. For those contemplating taking a flat and doing their own housekeeping, however, the expense is a good deal more than double. The furnished apartment that before the war cost 500 francs—for a sitting room, three bedrooms, dining room, kitchen, two servants' rooms and bath—has advanced to at least 1,800 francs a month, and they are scarce even at these prices. Unfurnished apartments that used to cost 3,000 francs a year now rent for 8,000. Provisions are plentiful, but at sky-high prices. Butter has advanced from 4 to 18 francs a kilo. Bread has gone from 6 sous to 22 sous; beef from 1 franc to 5 francs the pounds; sugar from 60 centimes to 2.50 francs; eggs from 3 to 9 francs a dozen. One used to be able to get a nice roasting chicken for 3 francs; today 20 francs is no unusual price.

Turning back to the more traveled paths of the tourist: First, breakfast of coffee and rolls will cost 3 francs instead of 1.50 francs, lunch will be charged for at 12 francs instead of the customary 4, and dinner will be found to have advanced from the usual 5 francs to 15. Hotel tips are also much higher. To escape with a pleasant farewell will cost 20 francs a week to the chambermaid, 5 francs a week to the breakfast waiter, 20 francs to the head waiter, and at least 10 francs to the all-important concierge. Porters should be paid at the rate of about 75 centimes for each piece handled.

Amusements will also cost much more. Henri will be found to have raised his cocktail prices from 1 franc to 2.50 francs each, and the glasses are smaller. A dinner for four at a good cafe formerly 50 francs, will now cost about 175. The ordinary 3-franc bottle of wine is now 10. Champagne that was 20 francs a bottle is scarce at 35, and is generally priced at 50. One used to start owing the game in a taxicab at 75 centimes; the clock now starts registering at 1.50 francs, and works faster, as it is based now on the old night tariff instead of the day rates. Theater tickets, which were 8 and 12 francs for the orchestra, have been increased to 18 and 25. A look in at the promenoir of the Follies Bergeres is 5 francs instead of 3.

Incidental expenses, like everything else, will be found higher. The metro fares are 6 sous for second class and 10 sous for first. Even internal postage costs 25 centimes a letter. Telegrams are 3 sous a word. All museums and galleries, where admission is charged, have war and amusement taxes added to their regular tariffs.

No visit to France will be complete without a trip to the front. This should be made in an automobile, and several companies make all arrangements and insure bed and board every night. Five thousand francs for a party of four people for a week will be found sufficient to cover this phase of the journey.

Lastly, a word to the ladies! Window shopping is as cheap as ever, but once you step inside the door, beware! That Paris dress that you have had in your mind's eye and which you knew that the little woman round the corner from the Rue So-and-So would make up for you for 400 francs will now cost you 2,000, no matter how low it is cut down or now high it is cut up. Silk stockings to match will cost 100 francs, and those nice little round-toed slippers will come as high as 200 francs a pair. Beads, knickknacks and jewelry of the cheaper grades will not be found extortionate, however. Paris is the home of these articles, and a majority of them are the work of disabled soldiers who desperately need the money.

Although the prices quoted may seem high to those accustomed to think in francs, yet with exchange at 15 francs to the dollar, an analysis of the prices will show that costs have risen in just about the same ratio as exchange has fallen.

A 25 percent increase over what the American spent in 1914 should see him through. The school teacher who spent $600 on a European trip should allow for $750 today, and the $2,000 man should add $500 more to his bankroll before starting. One thing must be born in mind, however, and that is that exchange may come back to normal much faster than European prices will fall. It would be well, therefore, to convert dollars into European currency before starting rather than wait until the money is needed.

Correspondence

'Part-Timers' In School Athletic Meets

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Sir.—At the request of our Sports' Committees, and by permission of our respective Headmasters, we have to make an explanation in regard to the "technical protest" reported in Sunday's issue of THE CHINA PRESS to have been lodged over the result of Saturday's athletic meet.

The point under dispute is as to whether "part-timers" at school are to be allowed to compete in inter-school contests.

The American School view is that any boy who is still "on the school register" is technically a school boy and is therefore eligible for his school, even though actually he may be engaged in business during the greater part of the day.

The general school view in Shanghai is that full attendance at school is necessary to constitute eligibility. There is too much elasticity about any other ruling which might readily lend itself to a variety of interpretations.

The present difficulty is not so much a dispute as a misunderstanding. The American School entered at least one "part-timer" who, the greater part of the day, is earning money in business—merely attending part time at school in order to complete a Language Course. As soon as it was known that this competitor was to enter the contests—no list of entrants was published beforehand—we, as Captains of the Public, Hanbury and Cathedral school teams, lodged a united protest. This statement will correct the mistaken view that the protest was only made after the American School had won the highest number of points. Yours,

Capt. P. Madar
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Capt. J. Guzdar
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Capt. H. Donald
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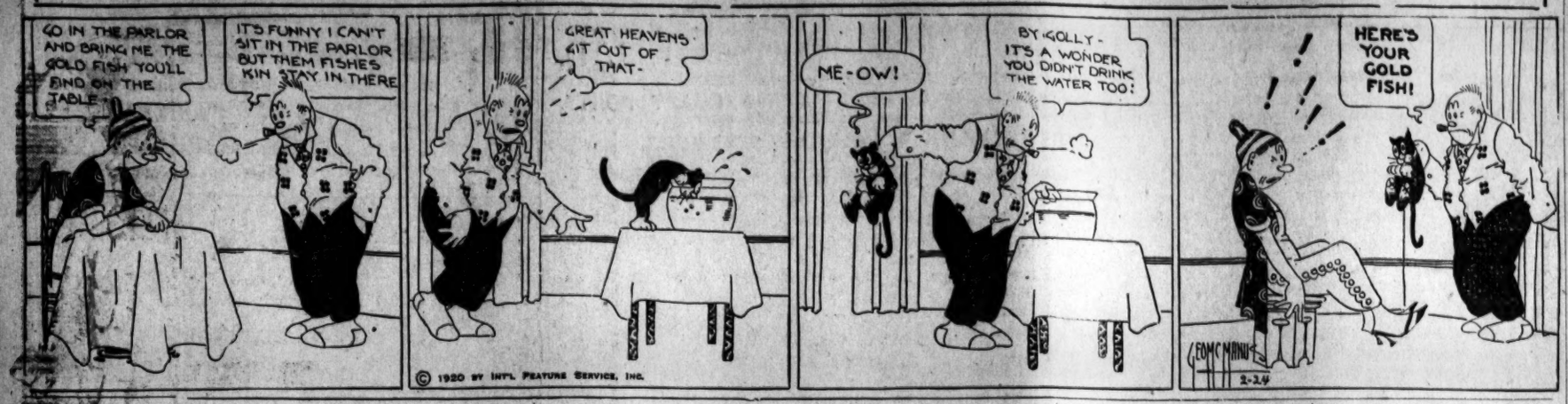
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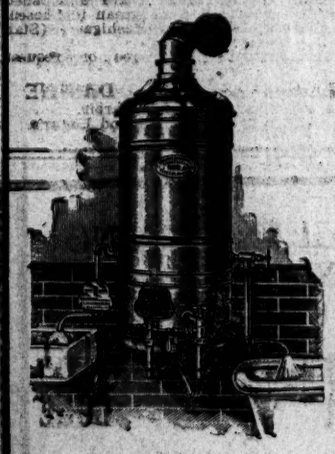

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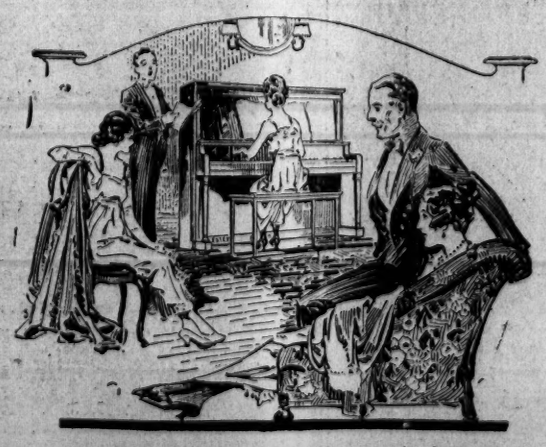

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:-: Alaska's Danger :-:

Not The Disappearance Of Big Game, But Of The Yukon Salmon

BY HUDSON STUCK

(Archdeacon of the Yukon in The New York Times)

My attention has been called to an article in your issue of the 14th inst. about Alaskan game, in which you refer to the diverse views prevailing as to the need of further protection for the moose and caribou. I am loath to intrude the observations of a mere missionary, however wide they may have been, into a discussion between sportsmen and game wardens, because I know that in some unintelligent but by no means uninfluential quarters mere missionary testimony is heavily discounted—if, indeed, it be not unceremoniously brushed aside, as is commonly the case in Government departments and bureaus. Yet for what it is worth with the more intelligent I would express my judgment that in the interior of Alaska the big game is increasing. The diminution of the white population of that region with the decay of gold mining has doubtless been the chief factor in that increase, and any considerable return of the white man to the interior would involve a reduction in the game. I am sure that for the last few years both moose and caribou have considerably increased in may districts, and that is the judgment of the Indians also. So that it would appear that there is not, just now, any need for further restrictive measures.

Mr. Wenrich's view that wolves kill more caribou than all the hunters put together I think is probably well founded. I have more than once traveled in the path of a large caribou herd and found dead and mutilated caribou strewn all along the way; some slain for the mere lust of killing, for their throats had been cut by the fangs of full-fed animals, who had not stopped to eat at all. But the same gentleman's statement that the wolves sometimes run in bands of a hundred or more is not true of the interior of Alaska, so far as my observation has gone. I have never seen the tracks of more than four or five wolves together. With the old picture book stories of packs of wolves in Siberia in my mind—you remember how the man in the sleigh cuts loose one horse after another that the ravening wolves may stop to fight over its body, and finally reaches home as his one remaining horse falls exhausted—I had expected to find such packs in Alaska. Now I begin to doubt whether they exist anywhere out of the story book.

Mr. Nelson's testimony as to the extermination of the caribou along the arctic coast was within his own personal experience, for it fell largely during the term of his early residence at St. Michael. But I think it was due at much to the depredations of the whalers as to the love of slaughter of the Eskimos, newly provided as they then were, by those same whalers, with fire-arms. There are yet caribou on the north coast, or, rather, in its mountainous hinterland, but the herds of the west coast are gone. There was a little caribou meat at Point Barrow, though I know not from how far inland it had been brought, but I saw and heard nothing of caribou on the whole stretch of the west coast two Winters ago.

You will recall that it was Dr Sheldon Jackson's realisation of the imminence of the extermination of the caribou that spurred him to that most beneficent measure, the introduction of the reindeer, the domesticated caribou, in those parts. It is astonishing how promptly Dr. Sheldon Jackson's observations were validated, how his warnings became weighty, so soon as he ceased to be a mere missionary and became a Government official. Would that there had been many Alsaka Government officials of his foresight and vigor!

If there were one such today he would be crying out not about the danger and the destruction of the big game, but about a far greater danger that threatens all the inhabitants of the interior of Alsaka: the destruction of the Yukon salmon. It is, I suppose, our misfortune in the interior that the Yukon salmon does not rise to a fly; we can hardly hope to enlist the active interest and sympathy of the sportsmen. But so far as the main subsistence of a whole country concerns all kindly disposed people, this matter of the Yukon salmon may lay claim to general interest.

To a degree that is not understood by most people the whole economy of the Yukon country is built upon dried salmon.

The Nile is not more basic to the economy of Egypt, flowing through the midst of the land and bringing fertility with it; than the Yukon is to the interior of Alaska, flowing through the midst of it and bringing this noble fish.

All the other resources of the country are more or less dependent upon dried salmon. Aside from its large use for direct human consumption, it is not possible to hunt the big game, it is not possible to trap furs, it is not possible to prospect for gold, without a dog team; and there is no other food comparable in compact, transportable nutriment to dried salmon; no other food—although a dog will eat anything—upon which a dog team may be maintained and long distances traversed.

The salmon is the harvest of the rivers, the one generally dependable resource which may with any justice be compared with the harvest of the soil in more favored lands.

It has its fluctuations, as the yield of the earth has—its fat and lean years; but there was never anything approaching a complete failure of the fishing in the fifteen Summers that I have spent upon the Yukon—until last Summer, when, for the first time, a salmon cannery was in operation during the whole season at the mouth of the river. And this is the menace to the inhabitants of interior Alaska today.

The question of the Yukon salmon is only part of a larger question that must be dealt with very presently and drastically if there are to be any Pacific Coast salmon left. The greed of the packers has pushed their highly lucrative fishing nearer and nearer to the mouths of the spawning streams, until last Summer the catch showed an alarming falling off. But the streams thus depleted of fish on the Pacific Ocean coast are in the main mere mountain torrents, without inhabitants along their banks. What is to my point is that the same greed of packing has at last brought the cannery to the mouth of the great river emptying into Bering Sea, the Yukon with its thousands of inhabitants along its course, almost all of whom are more or less dependent for their subsistence upon their salmon catch.

Despite the "restrictions" imposed by the Fish Commission upon the cannery operations on the Yukon, the fishing is virtually unrestricted. The restrictions are delusive. For when the 30,000 cases and the 30,000 barrels and tierces which the regulations of the cannery permit in the river itself are taken, the cannery moves its barges and scows (it is a floating concern) just outside the mouth of the river into Bering Sea, and takes all it wants, the commission having, it seems, no marine jurisdiction. Now, the fish taken in Bering Sea at the mouth of the Yukon are all of them about to enter the river. And it makes no difference to the depletion of the fish supply whether the fish are caught actually in the river or just before they enter the river.

Recognising this fact, recognising, tardily, that distress was caused among the Indians all along the Yukon this Winter by the failure of the previous Summer's fishing the commission proposed to secure an executive order forbidding cannery fishing in Bering Sea, where it is under no restriction, and confining the company to the limits imposed by the commission's regulations. Such a draft executive order was drawn up and a conference was held last month in Washington between the heads of departments concerned. I had pinned my hope for remedy and relief upon the result of that conference, but it decided not to proceed with the matter, and the only practical result of the conference was a promise by the Department of Commerce that if it appeared in the season of 1920 that the Indians were unable to secure sufficient fish, owing to the operations of the cannery, the deparment would make good the shortage.

Such a promise is utterly unsatisfactory. The department cannot make good a shortage of dried salmon if there be no salmon to make it good with. It can only mean the beginning of a system of doles of flour and bacon, the beginning of the pauperising of the native people of the Yukon, who have always been self-supporting hitherto. And I, for one, would rather see them dead and buried and done with than see this self-supporting people reduced to subsistence upon Government doles.

There is now no recourse, therefore, save the passage of a bill by Congress forbidding commercial fishing in the Yukon and adjacent waters. Such a measure I am seeking now to have introduced and for it I shall ask the general support of the kindly and righteously disposed.

I am certain that if a vote were taken among residents along the Yukon and its tributaries, white and native alike, all except persons directly or indirectly interested in the cannery, and the henchmen of the closely-allied transportation and trading companies, would vote for the prohibition of commercial fishing.

A few days ago the New York newspapers printed a preposterous telegram from Moscow to the effect that Alaska was about to form a Soviet government of its own, a telegram so silly that I was surprised it was published. But it may in all calm reason be asked whether it is wise policy to permit the impoverishment and exasperation of white men, thus expropriated of their natural rights, the pauperising and degradation of Indians, by allowing an outside commercial company to sit down at the mouth of the Yukon and confiscate the fish that from time immemorial has been the chief dependence and support of all the people in the interior. Is not that calculated to arouse and keep alive irritation and discontent?

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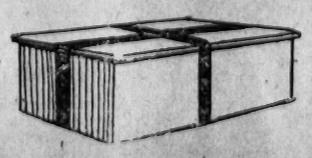

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Japan Ports	Kumano M.	9.30	9.30	..	..	..	9.00
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River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
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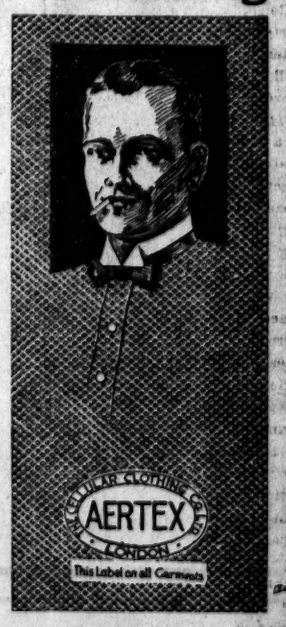

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CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The Str. **Hsinming**, Capt. H. Mackinon will leave on **Thursday** morning, For Freight or Passage apply to **C.M.S.N. Co.**

CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Chekiang**, Captain E. L. Jones, will leave on Thursday, May 20 at daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Tel. No. 77.

ANTUNG.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Kweilin**, Captain A. McDowell, will leave on **Friday, May 21**, at noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents, Tel. No. 77.

NEWCHANG.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steaer **Foochow** Captain C.H. Mochan will leave on **Friday, 21** at Foreight or Passage apply to **BUTTERFIELD& SWIRE**, Agent Tel. No. 77

TSINGTAO.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. **Tean**, Captain Wm. McDonald, will leave from the Watung Wharf on **Saturday, May 22**, at 1 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO 'AND TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Fengtien**, Captain McIntosh, will leave from the French Bund on **Saturday, May 22**, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

TIENTSIN direct.—The Kailan Mining Administration, will despatch the S.S. **Kwangping** on **May 24**. For Freight or Passage, apply to Agent, 1 Jinkee Road, Tel. Central 1114.

TIENTSIN AND DAIREN.—The Steamer **Keelung Maru**, Capt. N. Kamizawa, will ze despatched from the Co.'s Y'poo wharf on **May 26**. For Freight and Passage, please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA.** No. 4, The Bund, Tel. Nos. 4233, 4234 and 4235.

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Europe Via Haiphong, Singapore, Colombo, Post said, Marseilles, London, Antwerp Rotterdam and Hamburg.—The Str **Havre Maru**, Captain ——— will be despatched from Shanghai on or about **June 18** For Freigh please apply to **THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA**, No. 4, The Bund. Tel. Central No. 4234 and 4235.

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
May 19	—	Seattle	West Jester	Am.	A. T. Co.
May 19	—	Baltimore	Eurana	Am.	S. & Dix.
May 19	—	New Orleans	West Hembrie	Am.	S. & Dix
May 20	—	Portland	Angeles	Am.	C. P. Co.
May 22	—	San Francisco	†Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
May 22	—	Seattle	Edmore	Am.	Adl. Line
May 23	—	Portland	Wawalona	Am.	Adl. Line
May 25	—	New York, Boston	Radnor	Am.	Adl. Line
May 25	—	San Francisco	West Cahokia	Am.	S. & Dix
May 26	—	San Francisco	†China	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
May 29	—	Vancouver	†E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.
May 30	—	New York, Boston	Satsuma	Am.	Adl. Line
May 30	—	New York	Lima Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May 30	—	Seattle	West Ivis	Am.	S. & Dix
May 30	—	San Francisco	†Tenyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
May 30	—	Seattle	†Kashima Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May 31	—	New York	Eurymachus	Br.	B. & S.
May 31	—	New York	Howick Hall	Br.	B. & S.
June 1	—	Baltimore via Suez	West Conob	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
June 2	—	San Francisco	West Hepburn	Am.	Dollar Co.
June 4	—	New Orleans	Lancaster	Am.	S. & Dix
June 5	—	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
June 5	—	San Francisco	†Nanking	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
June 10	—	San Francisco	West Himrod	Am.	S. & Dix
June 10	—	Portland	West Navaria	Am.	C. P. Co.
June 10	—	New York	Wytheville	Am.	Adl. Line
June 12	—	Vancouver	†Mongteagle	Br.	C.P.O.S.
June 15	—	Seattle	Stanley	Am.	A. T. Co.
June 17	—	Vancouver, N. Y.	Bessie Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
June 19	—	San Francisco	†Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
June 19	—	Seattle	Fushimi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
June 20	—	San Francisco	†Shinyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
June 20	—	Baltimore v. P'ama	West Moreland	Am.	S & Dix
June 20	—	Portland	West Keats	Am.	C. P. Co.
June 22	—	San Francisco	†Nile	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
June 23	—	San Francisco	E. Merchant	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
June 25	—	Baltimore via Suez	Elkridge	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
June 30	—	New York	Deucalion	Br.	B. & S.
July 12	—	Seattle	Maquan	Am.	A. T. Co.
July 12	—	San Francisco	Archer	Am.	P.M.S.N. Co
July 17	—	San Francisco	†Colombia	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
July 31	—	Vancouver	Grace Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

May 19	—	N'saki, K., Y'hama	Wakanoura M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 19	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 22	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yawata Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May 23	—	Kobe	Inaba Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May 26	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May 27	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Kasuga Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May 29	—	Moji, Kobe, Y'hama	Chikugo Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 1	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Yamashiro M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

May 22	—	London	†Novara	Br.	M. M. & Co.
May 23	—	Trieste	Africa	Ital.	Dod. & Co.
May 23	—	M'lles, Liverpool	Kamakura Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
May 24	—	Liverpool	Idomeneus	Br.	B. & S.
May 24	—	London	Glenade	Br.	G. L. E. A.
May 24	—	London, etc.	†Sado Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 25	—	Singapore	†Nile	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
May 27	—	L'don, A'dam, A'werp	Teiresias	Br.	B. & S.
May 30	—	London, etc.	†Delta	Br.	M.M. & Co.
May 30	—	Marseilles	†Cordillere	Fr.	M. M. Cie
June 3	—	L'don, A'dam, H'burg	Neleus	Br.	B. & S.
June 6	—	Scandinavia	Asia	Dan.	E. A. Co.
June 6	—	London, etc.	†Nellore	Br.	M.M. & Co.
June 7	—	London	†Kitano Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 7	—	Hamburg, etc.	Toyooka Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 9	—	Scandinavia	Siam	Dan.	E.A. Co.
June 10	—	Liverpool, etc.	Tokiwa Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 10	—	Hamburg, etc.	Tsushima Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 13	—	Liverpool	Euryades	Br.	B. & S.
June 15	—	Amsterdam, H'burg	Batjan	Dut.	H. C. T. Co.
June 17	—	L., A'dam, H'burg	Helenus	Br.	B. & S.
June 30	—	Marseilles	†Porthos	Fr.	M. M. Cie
July 1	—	L., A'dam, H'burg	Elpenor	Br.	B. & S.
July 1	—	Genoa, M'lls, L'pool	Talthybius	Br.	B & S.
July 8	—	Havre, Liverpool	Orestes	Br.	B. & S.
July 11	—	Marseilles	†Amazone	Fr.	M. M. Cie
July 15	—	L., A'dam, A'wtrp	Pyrrhus	Br.	B. & S.
July 22	—	Genoa, Liverpool	Demodocus	Br.	B & S.
Aug. 19	—	Liverpool, etc.	Bellerophon	Br.	B. & S.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

May 19	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
May 19	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi	N.S.S.N. Co.
May 19	—	Hongkong, Canton	Kwangtah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 19	—	Foochow	Hsinchi	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 19	—	Wenchow	Haean	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
May 19	noon	S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Wingsang	Br.	J.M. & Co.
May 20	4.00	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
May 20	noon	Amoy, H'kong, C'ton	Sinkiang	Br.	B. & S.
May 22	—	Manila, Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
May 22	1.00	S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Chenan	Br.	B. & S.
May 24	—	Hongkong	Nanking	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
May 24	—	Hongkong	Monteagle	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
May 25	—	Hongkong	Nile	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
May 29	—	Manila, Hongkong	Ecuador	Br.	C.P.O.S.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

May 19	11.00*	Newchwang	Linan	Br.	B. & S.
May 19	noon	Tsingtau	Hopsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May 20	—	Chefoo & Tientsin	Hsinming	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
May 20	2.00*	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Koonshing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May 20	noon	Chefoo, Tientsin	Chekiang	Br.	B. & S.
May 21	noon	Antung	Kweilin	Br.	B. & S.
May 21	noon	Newchwang	Foochow	Br.	B. & S.
May 22	1.00	Tsingtao	Tean	Br.	B. & S.
May 22	10.00*	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br.	B. & S.
May 24	4.30	Tsingtau & Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap.	S.M.R. Co.
May 24	—	Tientsin	Kwangping	Br.	K.M.A.
May 25	4.30	Tsingtau & Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap.	S.M.R. Co.

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May 19	11.00*	Wuhu	Hichow	Br.	B. & S.
May 19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Waishing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May 19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br.	B. & S.
May 19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Siangyang M.	Jap.	N.K.K.
May 20	noon	Wuhu	Kiukiang	Br.	B. & S.
May 20	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 20	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br.	J. M. & Co
May 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tafoo Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
May 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br.	B. & S.
May 22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Saiyang	Jap.	N. K. K.
May 22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br.	B. & S.
May 23	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hsinfung	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
May 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
May 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Shengking	Br.	B. & S.
May 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
May 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br.	B. & S.
May 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
May 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br.	B. & S.

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Information For Mariners

WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 1920

High Water at Woosung Bar
(The night tides are higher than the day tides, they are about equal at 6 and 7 o'clock).
Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 8 1/4 h; at neaps, 7 1/2 h.

A.M. Time	A.M. Range	P.M. Time	P.M. Range
0h. 30m.	10ft. 7in.	0h. 52m.	8ft. 7in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides),
Approximate rise, 5 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H	A.M. M	P.M. H	P.M. M
11	48		

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
5 48 p.m.	7 58 p.m.	5h. 6m.	6h. 47m.	4h. 21m.	7h. 32m.

Mean Barometric Pressure at Shanghai
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		*Emp. of Russia	June 18

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OMI MARU	7,000	Capt. S. Kishimoto,	May 26
CHIKUGO MARU	5,500	Capt. T. Kusano,	May 29

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MEN OF WAR IN PORT

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
2 C.	May 17	Elcano	Am. gun-boat
S.O.C.W.	May 18	Elliot	Am. destroyer
U.S.N.B.	Apr. 17	Gen. Alava	Am. gun-boat
P. & O.B.I.	May 14	Gnat	Br. gun-boat
S.O.C.W.	May 18	Greer	Am. destroyer
L.B.	May 17	Helena	Am. gun-boat
B.N.B.	Mar. 26	Kinsha	Br. gun-boat
S.O.C.W.	May 18	Lea	Am. destroyer
S'chow Creek	Oct. 29	M.A.S. 226	Ital. sub-chaser
S'chow Creek	Oct. 29	M.A.S. 227	Ital. sub-chaser
S.O.C.W.	May 17	Quiros	Am. gun-boat
S.O.C.W.	May 18	Rizal	Am. destroyer
1 C.	May 18	Saga	Jap. gun-boat
B. VIII	May 17	Suma	Jap. gun-boat
S.O.C.W.	May 18	Tarbell	Am. destroyer
O.D.W.	May 2	Teal	Br. gun-boat
1 C.	May 18	Uji	Jap. gun-boat
S.O.C.W.	May 18	Upshur	Am. destroyer
1 C.	May 17	Villalobos	Am. gun-boat
2 C.	May 16	Wilmington	Am. gun-boat
S.O.C.W.	May 18	Yarnall	Am. destroyer

Departures

Date	For	Ship's Name	Flag Agents
May 18 —	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May 18 —	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. J.M. & Co.
May 18 —	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
May 18 —	Hankow, etc.	Yohyang Maru	Jap. N.K.K.
May 18 —	Portland, etc.	Conxet	Am. Adl. Line
May 18 —	Dairen	Kobe Maru	Jap. S. M. R. Co.
May 18 —	Pukow	Suiyang	Br. B. & S.
May 18 —	Calcutta	Arratoon Apcar	Br. M. M. & Co.
May 18 —	Nikolaievsk	Nancy Moller	Br. M. & Co.
May 18 —	Tientsin	Hsinchang	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May 18 —	Wuhu	Taishin Maru	Jap. S. Shokai
May 18 —	Chinwangtao	Upolu	Br. K.M.A.
May 18 —	Chinwangtao	Taiyo Maru	Jap. K.M.A.
May 18 —	Chinwangtao	Lt. de la Tour	Fr. M. M. Cie.
May 18 —	London, etc.	Mishima Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
May 18 —	Hongkong, Canton	Ichang	Br. B. & S.
May 18 —	Tientsin, etc.	Shuntien	Br. B. & S.
May 18 —	Chefoo, Tientsin	Shinping	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
May 18 —	Chefoo, Tientsin	Teli	Chi. N.S.S.N. Co.
May 18 —	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co

Arrivals

Date	From	Ships Name	Flag Agents
May 17 —	Cruise	Suma	Jap.
May 18 —	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May 18 —	Chefoo	Mingshun	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
May 18 —		Persian Prince	Br. S. Tomes & Co.
May 18 —	Tacoma, etc.	Africa M.	Jap. O. S. K.
May 18 —	Tientsin	Koonshing	Br. J.M. & Co.
May 18 —	Swatow	Holhow	Br. B. & S.
May 18 —	Hongkong	Hopsang	Br. J.M. & Co.
May 18 —	Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May 18 —	Hankow, etc.	Siangyang Maru	Jap. N. K. K.
May 18 —	Manila	Rizal	Am.
May 18 —	Manila	Upshur	Am.
May 18 —	Manila	Elliot	Am.
May 18 —	Manila	Greer	Am.
May 18 —	Manila	Yarnall	Am.
May 18 —	Manila	Lea	Am.
May 18 —	Manila	Tarbell	Am.
May 18 —	Cruise	Saga	Jap.
May 18 —	Cruise	Uji	Jap.

Vesse's Due

China, *Hongkong*	May 26	Kiangfoo, *Hankow*	May 22
Chenan, *Tsingtau*	May 20	Kiangwah, *Hankow*	May 25
Choysang, *Hongkong*	May 22	Kiangyung, *Hankow*	May 24
Chungking, *Hankow*	May 24	Kutwo, *Hankow*	May 19
Delta, *London*	May 21	Kwanglee, *Hongkong*	May 21
E. of Asia, *Vancouver*	May 22	Kweilin, *Antung*	May 20
Feiching, *Foochow*	May 22	Loksang, *Newchwang*	May 20
Fengtien, *Tientsin*	May 19	Loongwo, *Hankow*	May 23
Hangsang, *Hongkong*	May 20	Luenho, *Hankow*	May 26
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	May 19	Monteagle, *Vancouver*	May 22
Hsinfung, *Hankow*	May 21	Nanking, *S. Francisco*	May 24
Hsinkong, *Tientsin*	May 19	Ningshin, *Foochow*	May 22
Hwahlee, *Hankow*	May 22	Nellore, *London*	May 20
Inaba Maru, *London*	May 21	Ngankin, *Hankow*	May 20
Itola, *Bombay*	May 25	Novara, *Japan*	May 19
Japan, *Calcutta*	May 24	Nile, *S. Francisco*	May 25
Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	May 20	Omi Maru, *Japan*	May 23
		Porthos, *Marseilles*	May 25
		Poyang, *Hankow*	May 26
		Sado Maru, *Japan*	May 22
		Sakaki Maru, *Dairen*	May 24
		Shantung, *Hongkong*	May 22
		Shengking, *Hankow*	May 22
		Shuntien, *Tientsin*	May 26
		Sunning, *Hongkong*	May 24
		Tatung, *Hankow*	May 23
		Tean, *Hongkong*	May 20
		Teiresias, *Liverpool*	May 21
		Telamon, *Liverpool*	May 23
		Tuckwo, *Hankow*	May 20
		Tungchow, *Tientsin*	May 23
		Venezuela, *Hongkong*	May 20
		Woosung, *Hankow*	May 21
		Yawata Maru, *Japan*	May 19
		Yushun, *Tientsin*	May 21

VESSELS IN HARBOR AND AT WOOSUNG

Date	From	Ship's Name	Flag Agents
Dec. 2 —	Japan	Taiho Maru	Jap.
Dec. 4 —	River ports	Lingyun	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Dec. 6 —	Chinwangtao	Indigirka	
Dec. 16 —	Hankow	Meitan	Am. Socony.
Dec. 25 —		Kanling	Chi.
Dec. 25 —		Newchow	
Jan. 15 —		Meihu	Am. Socony.
Jan. 21 —	Japan	Kifune Maru	Jap. M.B.K.
Mar. 19 —	Japan	Kiyo Maru	Jap. Kaiyosha
Mar. 22 —	———	Chienan	Chi. W. & Co.
Apr. 14 —	.....	Palembang	Br. A.P. Co.
Apr. 16 —	Foochow	Yungshin	Chi. N.S.S.N. Co.
Apr. 29 —	Hankow, etc.	Kuling	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May 5 —	Cruise	Pingching	Chi. Customs
May 8 —	Vladivostok	Simbirsk	Rus. R.V.F.
May 11 —	Antung	Unda	Br. A. P. Co.
May 11 —	Cruise	Likin	Chi. Customs
May 12 —	Hongkong	Tjiliwong	Dut. H.C.P. Co.
May 12 —	Hongkong	Hatchie	Am. Adl. Line
May 12 —	Japan	Naotetau Maru	Jap.
May 13 —	Hongkong	Shinyue	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
May 15 —	Cruise	Store Nordiske	Dan. G.N.T. Co.
May 15 —	Vladivostok	Hanamet	Ross. S.H. & Co.
May 16 —	Hongkong	Sinkiang	Br. B. & S.
May 16 —	Hongkong	Kwangtah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May 16 —	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br. B. & S.
May 16 —	Hankow, etc.	Hwahta	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May 16 —	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br. J.M. & Co.
May 16 —	Hankow, etc.	Tachang Maru	Jap. N.K.K.
May 16 —	Hankow	Justin	Am. B.A.T. Co.
May 16 —	Japan	Wakanoura M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 16 —	Japan	Kumano Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 16 —	San Francisco	West Himrod	Am. S. & Dix.
May 16 —	Wenchow	Haean	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May 16 —	Hongkong	Linan	Br. B. & S.
May 16 —	Foochow	Hsinchi	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May 16 —	Swatow	Wingsang	Br. J.M. & Co.
May 17 —	Hongkong	Hsintah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
May 17 —	Tientsin	Hsinming	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May 16 —	Japan	Misaki Maru	Jap. M.B.K.
May 17 —	Dairen	Wanli	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
May 17 —	Hongkong	Edmore	Am. Adl. Line
May 17 —	Hankow, etc.	Walshing	Br. H. M. & Co.
May 17 —	Hankow, etc.	Ningshao	Chi N.S.S.N. Co.
May 17 —	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.
May 17 —	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
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Shipping Items

The P.M. s.s. Venezuela was scheduled to sail from Hongkong yesterday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai tomorrow. The Venezuela will sail for Japan ports, Honolulu and San Francisco on Saturday, May 22.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinkong left Tientsin for Chinwangtao and Shanghai on Sunday.

The P. and O. s.s. Novara was expected to leave Kobe for Shanghai on Monday.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow for Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Tean left Hongkong for Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Fengtien left Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai on Sunday.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Eurylochus was expected to leave Kobe for Moji, Fusan and Shanghai on Sunday.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Teiresias from Liverpool, left Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai on Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Tuckwo left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Ngankin left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Tafoo Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinfung left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Suiyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Shantung left Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Chenan left Tsingtau for Shanghai yesterday.

The M.M. s.s. Cordillere will be dispatched from the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf on Sunday, May 30, for Marseilles and way ports.

The tender with passengers and mails will leave the French Mail jetty at 9 a.m. on the sailing day. Heavy baggage must reach the French Mail office not later than noon on Saturday, May 29.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Hwahlee will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Shengking will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The N.K.K. s.s. Fengyang Maru will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Feiching will leave Foochow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Yushun left Tientsin for Chefoo, Lungkow and Shanghai yesterday.

The I-C. s.s. Hangsang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Loksang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Newchwang and Dairen tomorrow.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Telemon from Liverpool, left Singapore on Friday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai next Sunday.

The M.M. s.s. Porthos, with the French mails of April 15, will arrive at Hongkong next Friday and in Shanghai on Tuesday, May 25.

The P. and O. s.s. Nellore from London, was expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai on Monday.

The P. and O. s.s. Itola from Bombay, left Singapore at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon and is due in Shanghai on May 25.

The P. and O. s.s. Huntsgreen (chartered) was expected to leave Hongkong yesterday.

The P. and O. s.s. Delta from London, was expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday morning.

The B.I. s.s. Karmala is expected to leave Colombo today.

The B.I. s.s. Japan from Calcutta, is expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai next Friday.

The I-C. s.s. Loongwo will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The N.K.K. s.s. Talee Maru will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Sunning will leave Hongkong for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Tungchow will leave Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Choysang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Saturday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Yawata Maru left Moji for Shanghai on Monday and may be expected to arrive at the N.Y.K. Wharf today.

The fleet of seven new American torpedo boat destroyers arrived in port from Manila at six o'clock yesterday morning. They are the flagship Rizal, the Upshur, Elliot, Greer, Yarnall, Lea and Tarbell. The fleet is en route to Chefoo where it will join the cruisers South Dekota, New Orleans and Albany in target practice.

The C.M. s.s. Kwanglee left Hongkong for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Kweilin is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Antung tomorrow.

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KEELUNG MARU ...	3,000	N. Kamizawa,	May 24	May 26

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Luceric	Apr. 23
Genoa Maru	Apr. 20
C. of Colombo	May 9
Tsuyama Maru	May 11

For London etc.

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Gleniffer	Apr. 25
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Havana Maru	May 1
Nore	May 8
Tydeus	May 15
Mishima Maru	May 18

For Liverpool

Ajax	May 2

For Copenhagen

Siam	Apr. 25
Asia	May 9
Peru	May 16

For Hamburg

Capetown Maru	Apr. 29

For Marseilles

Andre Lebon	Apr. 23
Sierra Ventana	Apr. 27
Armand Behic	May 9

For Genoa

Wakasa Maru	May 3

For Trieste

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For Bombay

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For Calcutta

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For Saigon

Hwahjah	Apr. 15

For Australia

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Kidderpore	May 15

Siccawei Weather Reports

17.—The depression to the E of Japan deepens and advances towards the Kuriles; at the same time the center of the anticyclone moves back between Korea and Chihli. Pressure relatively high on the Pacific. Wind exceedingly variable both in force and direction on the coast. Fine morning, overcast afternoon. Some rain at the Philippines.

18.—The weather clears up: mist and heavy dew. The pressure is still stationary and the breeze continues to run from ESE.

Passengers Departed

Per S.M.R. s.s. Kobe Maru for Dairen: Mrs. A. Guinsborugh, Mme. A. Gedalvitch, Mrs. Saushin, Mrs. A. E. Kalkova, Mrs. Shamis, Mr. and Mrs. Smolensky, Mrs. M. Leineman, Messrs. R. W. French, E. Czeksenski, D. E. Maner, H. M. H. Nemazee, M. Ispahami, H. Marco, I. Thomas, M. O. Albertson, N. P. Mortensen, C. McCaslin, H. O. Juhl.

Per K.M.A. s.s. Upolu for Chinwangtao: Mrs. Sinclair.

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